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PROBS Northwest winds cool and showery at first then gradually clearing.

180 GUNS TAKEN BY FRENCH TROOPS Petain's Forces Capture More Than 8000 Huns in New Drive Hun Troops Suffer Terrible Slaughter Defending Positions

276 ENEMY PLANES BAGGED BY BRITISH

Major-General Maurice Tells of the Great Toll Taken of Hun Air-fleets by British During September—French Success in Baffling Zepps Eulogized.

London, Oct. 24.—In the course of his weekly talk with the Associated Press today, Major-General Frederick B. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the war office, said: "It is no discredit to the British air force that they did not bring down a single zeppelin, while the French air force brought down five in the course of the zeppelin visit a few days ago. No French airman would think of comparing the attack on the invaders with the night while the invaders were still fresh, to that made by the French in daylight."

2,700,000 TONS COAL FROM U.S. FOR CANADA

Washington, Oct. 24.—Under a definite allotment of American coal for Canada, announced tonight by the fuel administration, about 2,000,000 tons of bituminous and 700,000 tons of anthracite will be permitted to move across the Canadian border during the next two months.

ENEMY BEGINS AN ATTACK ON ITALY'S LINES

Large German Forces Come to Aid of Austrians for Big Assaults.

ON A 23-MILE FRONT

Specially-Constructed Gas Shells Poured on Positions of the Italians.

London, Oct. 24.—In the Austro-Italian theatre large German forces have reinforced the Austrian line and apparently a big battle is imminent over the 23-mile front from Monte Comba, southeastward thru Filth and Tolmino, and thence southward to the Bainsizza Plateau, which lies about 10 miles northeast of Tolmino. The Germans began their offensive after an intense artillery fire in which specially constructed gas shells were thrown at various places. According to the Italian war office, the fighting died to some extent. The official communication adds that the preparations of the Austrians and Germans and that the enemy will find them "steadily and prepared."



Canadian troops resting in a shell hole on their way to the front line. One seems very interested in a Boche plane which was passing over.

FRENCH GAINS EXCEED FIRST EXPECTATIONS

Allies Sweep Over Every Kind of Obstacle to Victory.

BRITISH GUNS BUSY

Field-Marshal Haig Reports Counter-Battery Work in Belgium.

London, Oct. 24.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency).—Telegraphing today from French headquarters Reuter's correspondent says: "The success of the new advance exceeded all expectations. Fresh counter-attacks are being signalled hourly. The attack is comparable to the brilliant operations at Verdun in October and December. 'Yesterday's victory was due to the equally wonderful preparatory work of the artillery and the gallantry of the infantry. The latter often fought hardest before reaching their objectives, for the resistance in places was desperate, especially on the right.' 'The French advanced with great speed, following a barrage of 350 shells which was extremely deep in order to give the most effective support. They simply swept over every kind of obstacle. There were innumerable feats of individual courage. As an officer of the high command remarked to me, 'one could kneel before some of these.' 'Captured Some Prisoners. 'London, Oct. 24.—The report from Field-Marshal Haig in Flanders tonight reads: "We captured a few prisoners during the night in the course of patrol encounters southwest of Havrincourt. 'On the battlefield the hostile artillery was active this afternoon against our positions in the Houthulst forest. Our artillery carried out counter-battery work and a destructive bombardment at different points. In addition, a large explosion behind the enemy lines by our artillery fire. The weather was stormy. 'Seven Counter-Attacks Fail. 'An official communication issued from British headquarters in Flanders says: "Yesterday evening the enemy again attacked our positions in Houthulst forest. An attempt made against the point of junction of the British and French armies was completely repulsed. 'Since our attacks on the morning of Oct. 22 the enemy has delivered seven counter-attacks against our new line without achieving material results at any point. 'A successful raid was carried out by Gloucester troops last night south-east of Gavrelle. A number of the enemy were killed, several of his dugouts were blown up and a few prisoners and machine guns were brought back by us."

HEAPS OF DEAD ARE FOUND BY FRENCH IN HUN LINES

Casualties of Germans High in Newest Aisne Battle—French Losses Below Average—Tanks Figured Prominently—Positions Taken by French Were Very Strong.

Paris, Oct. 24.—The sweeping nature of the French victory yesterday north of the Aisne is indicated by the official announcement from the war office tonight which reports the capture of prisoners exceeding 8000, heavy guns exceeding 70, 30 mine-throwers and 80 machine guns. The text of the statement reads: "North of the Aisne the German artillery was particularly active in the sector of La Royere-les-Bovettes, and in the region of Fort de Malmajon on our new front, which extends from Mont des Singes (Monkey Hill), which we have occupied in its entirety, to Chavignon. The enemy attempted no infantry action. 'Patrols sent out by us in the region of Chavignon and Voudeuseau have brought back a great number of prisoners. 'It is confirmed that tanks (chars d'assaut), played an important role in yesterday's attack. 'The number of prisoners taken since yesterday exceeds 8000. Of the material left in our hands, which we will not be able to inventory before several days, it has been possible up to the present to count only 70 cannon, 30 mmenwerfer and 80 machine guns. 'In Champagne, in the region of the Monts, we successfully carried out two surprise attacks, the first northeast of Prunay, the second at Mont Haart and brought back about 15 prisoners. On the bank of the Meuse there were spirited artillery actions in the region of Samogneux, Vacherauville, Chaume Wood and west of Douaumont. 'Several squadrons of tanks participated in the battle and did excellent work in company with the advancing infantry. It was by means of these most modern war implements that the Italian front was captured. 'Most of the prisoners taken who, up to tonight, numbered approximately 8000, while others were still pouring out of the deep caverns, were caught in quarries. One group, composed of 400 men, was led out to surrender by a German soldier, who spoke French and who assured his comrades that they need not fear bad treatment from their captors, despite the assertions currently made to them by their officers that the French massacred prisoners. Another batch of prisoners fell into the hands of the French just as they alighted from motor trucks, in which they had been hurried to the battlefield as reinforcements. 'The losses of the Germans were extremely heavy, as was testified by the heaps of dead found beneath the ruins of quarries, which crumbled under the French bombardment. The French casualties were rather below normal. 'Victory Delights the French. 'Paris, Oct. 24.—It would be hard to exaggerate the enthusiasm aroused throughout the length and breadth of France by yesterday's splendid achievement of the French army on the Aisne front, falling on the anniversary of the recapture of Fort Douaumont by General Petain. 'The blow apparently fell with all the force of a surprise, for it is understood that the German general staff held the opinion that after his offensive, the French leader would not find it advisable to resume offensive."

PRISONERS EXCEED 8000

French Also Capture 180 Guns of All Calibres in Successful Offensive.

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GERMANS CONTROL MINING PROCESS

Alien Enemies in New York Demand Prohibitive Royalty.

Special to The Toronto World. Cobalt, Ont., Oct. 24.—In the course of an address here this afternoon, Hon. Frank Cochrane, who was nominated as win-the-war candidate for Timiskaming, said that the use of the flotation process in Cobalt mines was very important, and mining operators had called the attention of the government to disclosures regarding the ownership of the patents. "I understand that the flotation patents are still controlled by Germans in New York, and they are demanding such a royalty on the process that the mines in this country cannot use it," said Mr. Cochrane. "It will be my business to see Sir Robert Borden on this question" when I return to Ottawa with a view to bringing the patent owners to their senses and try to get him to cancel these patents for the benefit of the mining community. "We must, however, be fair in the matter, for I believe in being fair even to an enemy alien, and the mines must be prepared to pay a fair royalty if it is proven that the patent owners were not German controlled. "Hon. Mr. Cochrane asked the mine operators to submit to the government what would be a fair and reasonable charge for the use of the flotation process. He said that the patent should not be annulled."

HUN OFFICER WAS SHOT BY HIS OWN SOLDIERS

British, in Their Flanders Advance, Find Fresh Evidence of Deterioration in Morale of the German Troops.

With the British Armies in France and Belgium, Oct. 24.—(By the Associated Press).—The consolidation of the positions won by the allies in Monday's attack was being rapidly completed today under a bright sun, which is mitigating somewhat the difficulties of the work in the morass. Artillery fire marked the night in the region to the east and north of Ypres. The British big guns have never ceased to pour a devastating fire into the German positions along the Flanders battlefield, and the enemy has responded vigorously. Last night the Germans directed a heavy fire against the sector between the Ypres-Menin highway and the Ypres-Roulers railway, which also concentrated on Abraham Heights, which are on the Gravelines ridge, south of Passchendaele. Shortly before dark last evening the enemy launched a counter-attack against the British to the south of Houthulst Forest, near the junction with the French. But this was repulsed with machine gun and rifle fire. Both the French and British were holding their new positions in this difficult territory on the edge of the forest strongly. The assertion in the German official statement that the British on Mont Ghelvelt and were repulsed is entirely erroneous, as no such attack was made. The British offensive was confined to operations along a narrow front several miles north of Ghelvelt. Executed Their Own Officer. The report that British troops had found a German officer who had been executed by his own soldiers, the body having the hands bound behind the neck, has been confirmed. The incident occurred at a redoubt south of Foeielaelle during the recent fighting. There were fourteen German soldiers and young officers holding this place. When the British troops stormed this redoubt the German soldiers surrendered and the British found the dead officer, with five bullet wounds in his body. The reason for his execution was that the men desired to surrender and he refused to give up his stronghold without a struggle. This affair is another link tending to substantiate statements made by prisoners that the German officers commanding certain bodies of troops controlled over their men. There is no doubt that there has been a very considerable deterioration in the morale of many of the German troops in this region. But the German fighting machine is recognized as still being a powerful one. One non-commissioned officer here (Concluded on Page 7, Column 4)

WEST OF IRELAND ABOUT TO REBEL

Sinn Feiners Express Utmost Confidence—Priests Oppose Rising.

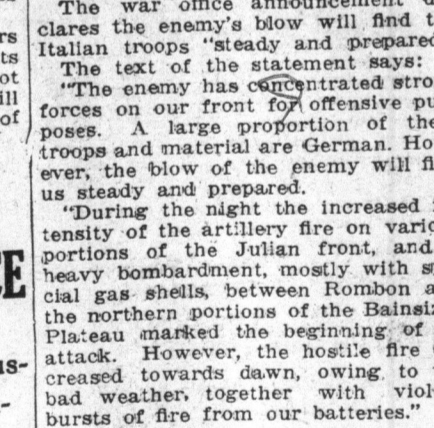
London, Oct. 24.—The seriousness of the situation in Ireland is insisted on by a correspondent of The Daily Mail, who has been following the Sinn Fein doings in Ireland for several weeks. He declares that the whole of the west of Ireland is on the verge of armed rebellion, and continues: "The young priests in Prof. De Valera's train have suddenly awakened to the danger of the spark they helped kindle and are now trying to quench it, but I fear it has now gone too far. 'The Sinn Feiners are sublimely confident and say that Tuesday's debate in parliament shows plainly that the government is afraid of them. 'The correspondent adds that there is a ray of hope that the Sinn Fein congress, which opens in Dublin today, may result in checking the militant spirit. 'The police are now arresting several local leaders in Cork and Limerick, but the Sinn Feiners say that these are small fry and do not matter. They boast that the authorities dare not arrest Prof. De Valera or Countess Markievicz. 'The Daily Mail editorially infers that the point of irrepressible conflicts is being approached, and it does not believe that the Sinn Feiners are any more than a warning of Premier Lloyd George."

DEMAND AN EARLY SEPARATE PEACE

Petrograd Council Wants Russia Extricated From Hostilities, and Quickly.

Petrograd, Oct. 24.—The Petrograd council of soldiers' and workmen's delegates on Monday adopted a resolution proposed by Leon Trotsky, president of its executive committee, and a leading Maximist, declaring the salvation of the country lies in the conclusion of peace as quickly as possible. The resolution contains declarations accusing Premier Kerensky of a desire to deliver Petrograd into the hands of the Germans and their imperialist allies, and also of openly favoring the German emperor. The resolution demands that all power pass into the hands of the council of soldiers and workmen, and instructs the executive committee to propose an armistice to all the nations. As long as peace is not concluded, however, continues the resolution, the committee must restore the army to the status of a combative force. In consequence of this resolution the Petrograd council of soldiers' and workmen's delegates has decided to form a revolutionary general staff for the defence of Petrograd. German Socialists Convicted Of Interfering With U. S. Draft. Sioux Falls, S.D., Oct. 24.—Twenty-seven German socialists of Hutchinson County, South Dakota, were found guilty on three counts of an indictment charging attempts at interference with the cooperation of the selective draft in the federal court here tonight.

He Tried So Hard!



The Reprimanding Dock: Fa are ye burin' th' day, Josephus? Joe Th' Deleful: All my efforts to dis-ject public sentiment from the profits in bacon by decorating the commissaries' reports with side-stepping descriptions and by rainbow illuminations have failed. Th' Dock: I'm thinkin' or ancient freen' o' th' 'Tely an' that chist o' Th' 'Weeky sun hae split yer' pall o' whitewash, Josephus. Josephus: Don't call my colors and my rainbows by that name, Doctor. And little did I think that Waldron would forget my friendly turns in uplift work and its ecclesiastical architecture not to be recognized in any way?

WINTER HATS FOR MEN.

Regular three-fifty hats for \$2.65 Imported English hards and soft felts in the superior class that mark Di-reen's, 140 Yonge street.

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Correct Footwear is Essential
So We Mention Attractive Street Shoes For All Costumes.

Hosiery of Many Weaves and Shades

To Blend in Shade With Your Costume
Are Stockings of Silk, Silk and Wool,
Mercerized, and the Ever-required Black

More of the
Friday Bargains

Misses' Wear

Well Cut, Smartly Fashioned Suits for misses in many charming styles, all new and youthful, are made of serge, cheviot, poplin, gabardines, in navy, brown, black, green, Belgian blue and tan. Sizes 14 to 20 years. Reg. \$22.50, \$25.00, \$27.50. Friday, \$15.50.

Third Floor, Queen St.

Millinery

Smartly Trimmed Ready-to-wear Hats. Friday, \$3.50. Including imported hats and our own make, hand-made and pressed shapes in good quality velvet, all greatly reduced. There are salonniers, large and small turbans, chin chin, mushroom and a goodly assortment of matrons' hats in black and colors. Trimmings: quills, wings, ornaments and ribbons. Friday, \$3.50.

Second Floor, Yonge St.

Gloves

Women's Washable Chamousette Gloves, made from closely woven material, and suitable weight for present wear. Slightly counter soled. White only. Sizes 5 1/2 to 7 1/2 in the lot, but not in each line. For this item we cannot take phone or mail orders, the quantity being limited. Reg. 85c, 90c, \$1.00 and \$1.25. Friday, pair, 65c.

Main Floor, Yonge St.

Handkerchiefs

Women's Handkerchiefs of Swiss muslin, with embroidered corner effects and hemstitched border; others with fancy colored borders, fancy centres and colored corner effect; also of fine mull with hemstitched border and embroidered corner. Reg. 12 1/2c and 18c each. Friday, each, 10c.

Main Floor, Yonge St.

Opera Glasses

Under present conditions Opera Glasses at these prices constitute the biggest bargain we have ever put on in this line. They are all first-class French glasses, by the best makers. All are in pearl and gold, and have the lozenge handle.

Third Floor, James and Albert Sts.

Women's Dresses

Well-cut Wool Serge Dresses, odd lines; included are models in coat effects with self girdles, pearl button trimming and white satin collars, also in straight effects, with belt piped with silk and black silk collar, some with shantung silk collars and deep button-trimmed cuffs. Colors black, navy and brown. Reg. \$13.50 to \$17.00. Friday, \$10.50.

Third Floor, James St.

Girls' Dresses

Dresses made of wool serge or cotton mixture. One style, obtainable in navy, garnet and brown, is made in high waist effect, has leather shade round collar, belt trimmed with fancy buckles at front, two shaped pockets on skirt, trimmed with colored stitching to match collar. Others have red and white soutache braid on collar, cuffs, belt and pockets. Some made in combination of plain material and tartan plaid. Sizes 6 to 14 years. For this item we cannot take phone or mail orders, the quantity being limited. Reg. \$5.50 to \$9.00. Friday, \$2.75 to \$4.50.

Third Floor, Centre.

Toys

200 Beed Doll Carriages. Three sizes, 3 1/2 x 12, 4 x 14, 5 x 16. Reg. 50c. Friday, 39c. Game of "Crazy Seven." Reg. 25c. Friday, 18c.

Main Floor, Yonge St.

Torchon Laces

Cotton Torchon Laces, in splendid assortment, 1 to 2 1/2 inches wide, also Val lace, 3/4 to 1 1/4 inches wide. Reg. 5c to 8c yard. Friday, yard, 4c.

Main Floor, Yonge St.

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Some of the
Friday Bargains

Infants' Wear

Boys' Wash Suits, in Billy Boy style, of white cambric; sports collar, belt and edge of sleeves are of blue; two pockets of white on the belt, plain knee pants. Sizes 2 1/2 to 6 years. Reg. \$1.00. Friday, 69c.

Children's Dresses, of plaid crash, made in French style, vest, collar and cuffs of plain crash finished with narrow cord; tan and blue, and green and red. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Friday, \$1.15.

Children's Knitted Wool Skirts, in white or red. Size 6 months to 6 years. Friday, 69c.

Infants' Wear Department,
Third Floor, Queen St.

Art Needlework

Pin Cushion Top and Back, of white union linen, laced style, stamped for embroidery in many designs. Size 5 x 12 inches. Reg. 25c. Friday, 15c.

Centrepieces, of white union linen, stamped for embroidery in many designs. Size 18 inches. Reg. 20c. Friday, 15c.

Pillow Cases, of hemstitched cotton, "Horrockses," stamped for embroidery, 22 to complete the work included. Sizes 42 and 44 inches. Friday, each, 69c.

Second Floor, Centre.

Blouses

Imported and Canadian made Waists, of Georgette crepe, nixon, silk and crepe de Chine. The collars are large and the trimming principally comprises beading, silk embroidery, hemstitching, fillet lace, insertion or tucking. Colors rose, maize, beetroot, navy, flesh, green, champagne, ivory or black. Sizes 34 to 46. Reg. \$6.50 to \$10.00. Friday, \$4.95.

Dressing Sacqu-

Broken lines in Women's Silk Crepe de Chine Dressing Sacques. One style is made with kimono sleeves, low neck, elastic at waist and deep box-pleated bottom. The large collar and cuffs are of white silk crepe, with hand embroidered designs. Also other styles to choose from. Procurable in sky, pink, Copen, and rose. Not all colors in each style. Reg. \$4.00 to \$12.00. Friday, \$2.00 to \$6.00.

Third Floor, Centre.

Women's Skirts

Women's \$7.50 Wool Poplin Skirts, Friday, \$3.55.

Two imported styles, in pleated effects, made from fine wool poplin in black and navy. One has belt stitched with six rows of colored stitching running alternately over and under the box pleats. The other has yoke belt with two deep points falling over each hip. 24 to 30 waists. Reg. \$7.50. Friday, \$3.95.

Fine Taffets Petticoats, \$2.95.

Beetroot, purple, taupe, Java brown, balsam green and twilight blue, good quality taffeta silk, made in smart style with deep circular flounces, finished with rows of stitching. Lengths 34 to 38. Friday, \$2.95.

Third Floor, James St.

Women's Underwear

Women's Combinations from the French Crown, include garments of fine muslin, which are beautifully French hand embroidered in several designs and have scalloped edges; others are of crepe de Chine in pink and white, and washable satin in white; trimmed with fine laces. Sizes 34 to 42 in the lot. Reg. \$6.50 to \$8.75. Friday, \$2.95.

Women's Tea Aprons, Maids' Afternoon Aprons and Nurses' Aprons, of muslin and lawns, neatly trimmed with laces and embroidery. For this item we cannot take phone or mail orders, the quantity being limited. Reg. 25c to \$1.50. Friday, 13c to 75c.

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Third Floor, Queen St.

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Main Floor, Yonge St.

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Unbleached Heavy Cotton Table Damask, in good floral designs, 64 inches wide. Reg. 83c. Friday, yard, 45c.

Hemmed Union Huckaback Towels, with plain white borders. Size 20 x 40. Reg. 50c. Friday, pair, 39c.

Second Floor, James St.



ALWAYS AN IMPORTANT PART of any costume, correct footwear has never held a more prominent place than at present. The shorter skirt has done much to bring into vogue the colored or colored-top shoe, and that, of course, has made it a more conspicuous detail. When the selection of a shoe is made now, it entails the correct matching of color frequently, as well as that of comfort and style.

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Or in fancy brocades at \$6.00.

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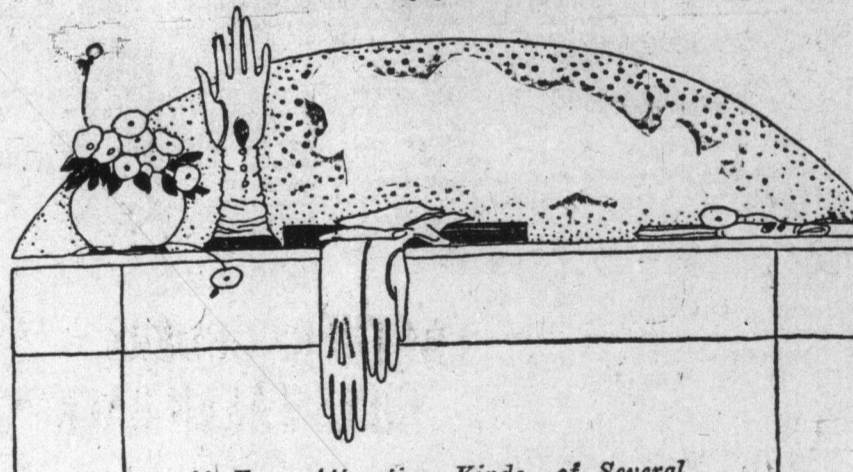
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Main Floor, Yonge St.

CITY TO PUSH ON WORK ON VIADUCT

Mayor Says Don Section Will Be Proceeded With When Handed Over.

MATERIALS PURCHASED

Controller Cameron of Opinion Work Can Be Gone Ahead With.

Mayor Church stated yesterday that the city's portion of the work on the Don section of the viaduct would be proceeded with just as soon as the contractors handed over the bridge to the city. He understood that the city would be billed for a number of extra truss and the works commissioner would not start the city work until the structure was handed over.

Money Is Available. "The city has the money and we are ready to go ahead," he stated. "We did not want to carry along our work concurrently with the contractors, even under the assurance they were willing to give us, as we wished to avoid all claims for interference."

On Monday T. T. Black, engineer in charge of construction for the contractors, said the Don viaduct would be ready and handed over today.

FIRM IN HAMILTON MAKES COMPLAINT

Tender, The Lowest, Was Rejected Three Years Ago.

No time was lost by the board of control yesterday morning and 10 minutes was long enough for the order paper of the tender to be disposed of. At the conclusion of the meeting the mayor offered to bet a hat that the new union station would be completed in time for the Exhibition next fall. No haste was shown in taking up the bet and the mayor went on to state that the work was away ahead of the schedule.

A communication was received from the Fullman Brass and Metal Company of Hamilton, stating that it was no use their tendering on supplies for the city, as three years ago, their tender was the lowest, it was turned down in order to place the order with a Toronto company. Controller Foster and the mayor claimed that the lowest tender should have been accepted.

Property Commissioner Chisholm reported that he had employed W. Rockwood of 5 Henry street as sweeper of the St. Lawrence Market at a salary of \$18 per month. He is a returned soldier. The commissioner also reported that there were 88 prisoners at the jail on October 21, 1917, as against 80 on the same date last year.

Chief of Police Grassett reported the theft of 149 automobiles during the months of August and September. Of these 144 had been recovered and sentness of from 20 days to 18 months had been meted out to the culprits.

PRODUCTION CAMPAIGN BRINGS BIG RESULTS

Pembroke Among the Many Places Which Harvested Large Crops of Potatoes This Year.

The organization of resources committee is daily receiving encouraging reports of the success of the campaign for greater production inaugurated last spring. One of the more interesting reports comes from the town of Pembroke, where 79 acres, not formerly cultivated, were under crop this year. The land was divided into 250 plots, which were planted in 18 acres municipally owned, yielded 10,000 bushels of potatoes.

On the property of the corporation 2000 bushels were harvested, which were sold to local consumers at \$1 a bag.

From a ten-acre plot in Mount Forest 900 bags of potatoes were grown in the town and a carload on an outside party at 90 cents a bag.

DRIVER IS LECTURED

Motorists Not Taught What to Do in Case of Emergency.

Charged with criminal negligence in connection with the death of 11-year-old Charles Boulter, who died as the result of injuries received by being struck by the motor car driven by him, Henry McQuig was acquitted by Judge Winchester yesterday in the criminal court. In dismissing the charge his honor gave a severe lecture to the accused stating that he was not the experienced driver that he was thought he was, and that the people who teach other people to drive motor cars do not teach them what to do in the case of an emergency.

PLAINTIFF OWNS PROPERTY

In the action brought by the Hamilton Motor Works Limited, against E. H. Browne, wharfinger, for the repeal of letters patent granting the defendant certain water rights adjoining property on Brock street, Hamilton, Huxley Kelly yesterday gave judgment, stating that he found that the plaintiff partly owned the lands granted to defendants and ordered the letters patent to be amended accordingly. No costs were allowed and the defendant's claim for damages was dismissed.

A GOOD SUBSCRIPTION

One of the best subscriptions to the British Red Cross Fund received from the employees of factories was that brought in in a shoe box yesterday afternoon by one of the officials of the Gutta Percha Rubber Co. The amount collected by the employees was mostly in cash and totaled \$1025.

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MEDICAL OFFICER SEES WISDOM IN NEW LAW

Characterizes Ban on Package System as Sensible Suggestion for Conserving Food Supply.

"It is the most sensible suggestion that Mr. Hanna has yet made," said Dr. C. J. O. Hastings, medical officer of health, yesterday, when asked for an opinion in regard to Mr. Hanna's recent order that breakfast foods must be sold in packages containing not less than twenty pounds, or in bulk.

"It is aimed at these food fads and not at ordinary oatmeal and the solid breakfast foods."

The M.O.H. said that it had been estimated that breakfast food costing \$1.80 a bushel, had represented a selling price of \$27 a bushel in the form of certain breakfast foods.

The doctor endorsed the order of the food controller and advised people to eat the good old-fashioned oatmeal.

MUSIC MAKES HOME MORE ATTRACTIVE

Rev. Peter Bryce Defends Soldiers' Wives From Charge of Extravagance.

In discussing recently the charges of extravagance that have been leveled against soldiers' wives, the Rev. Peter Bryce, a Methodist clergyman whose labors have been undertaken in the Earlscourt district from which hundreds of soldiers have gone overseas, says:

"The charges of extravagance may be dismissed by comparing the income and the cost of living. If pianos and musical instruments have gone into a number of homes, I am very glad, as anything that will make the home more attractive is good for the community and the nation. There are women, of course, in all classes of life, who fall in the capable management of a home."

"The ten thousand fatherless homes of Toronto present a situation unique in the history of any Canadian city. It is a situation that should be considered most carefully and intelligently, by both the church and the municipality. The men are most grateful for anything done to bring happiness to their homes, and they welcome so much every practical effort made to relieve the handicap of the fatherless home."

MISSING FORTY YEARS

Executor Asks to Have Man Declared Legally Dead.

W. S. Middleboro, K.C., acting for P. G. Green of Ottawa, executor for Rachel Ann Bell of Ottawa who died in 1877, yesterday asked Justice Britton for a declaration that John Johnston, formerly of Ottawa, but who has been missing for forty years, is presumed to have died seven years after he was last seen.

If the presumption is allowed, it will mean that the executor may divide the \$4,000 in his possession from the estate of Rachel Ann Bell among her brothers and sisters of John Johnston. If he is presumed to be dead, however, only from the date of the application, then his children and grandchildren are entitled to share in the money, which has been in the hands of the executor for 20 years. Judgment was reserved.

OFFICERS CHOSEN

West Presbyterian Church Young People Begin Meetings.

The West Presbyterian Young People's Society elected the following officers for the coming year: Hon. president, Dr. Turnbull; hon. vice-presidents, Miss A. V. Beatty, W. R. Gibson; president, W. F. Mantle; vice-presidents, T. Robinson, A. Griffin, Miss E. Mann, Miss F. Munroe; treasurer, Miss H. Webster; secretary, Miss O. Marshall; corresponding secretary, Miss S. Goudie; pianist, Miss R. Watkins, Miss W. Folklighorn; athletic convener, D. McLeish; flowers convener, Miss M. Gibson; membership convener, E. Hammond; musical convener, Miss A. Goudie; publicity secretary, C. Jamieson; social convener, Mrs. Jamieson; Miss Violet Mantle; visiting convener, H. McDowell.

PRICE OF DYE-STUFFS

In the non-jury assizes before Justice Sutherland yesterday, the Atlantic Dye-Stuffs and Chemical Co. Ltd. were suing Ault and Wiborg Co. of Canada for the sum of \$2851.96, being the value of 518 pounds of bichromate of soda at 47 cents per pound, said to have been sold and delivered to defendants. It is claimed in defence that the contract was broken and that the delivery of the goods was not accepted. The case is proceeding.

FILMS SEIZED IN TORONTO

Inspectors of the provincial theatres inspection office have seized 32 reels of films during the past two days, all taken in Toronto. The films were said to be uncensored and therefore the companies to which they belonged are alleged to be liable to a fine. If the practice continues Hon. T. W. McGarry, provincial treasurer, will likely introduce more severe punishment.

DRASTIC CHANGES IN CITY INSURANCE

No Money to Be Paid Except to Actual Dependents of Soldiers.

NONE ON DRAFTEES

Many Families in Good Circumstances Have Been Receiving Policy Benefits.

Drastic changes in the city's policy of insuring soldiers were decided upon at a private session of the board of control and civic insurance committee yesterday morning. In future no insurance is to be paid on the lives of soldiers now overseas, except to actual dependents. No insurance is to be paid to relatives living outside the city, except widows and children. No insurance will be given in the case of Toronto men raised under the Military Service Act.

It was felt that a considerable number of policies are being paid to relatives, where the \$1,000 is not required by the beneficiaries. Many families who have received this insurance have been in good financial condition and no hardship would have been suffered if the policy had not been paid. In consequence of this it was decided that in future policies would only be paid to actual dependents, persons who were depending for their livelihood on the insured previous to his enlistment. This ruling will also apply to families of Toronto soldiers living anywhere outside the city, and only in the case of a widowed mother, wife or children will the insurance be paid.

The controllers held that in regard to men raised under the Military Service Act, the responsibility rightly belongs to the government. It was estimated that the insurance of draftees from Toronto would mean a liability of \$5,000,000 on the basis of 5000 men from Toronto as its own 100,000 quota from the Dominion.

How great the reduction will be by reason of the new regulations civic officials were unable to state yesterday, but the contingent liability is now nearly \$45,000,000, and up to the first of August \$2,500,000 had been paid out.

ORCHESTRA MAKES PLANS

Toronto Symphony Discusses Work for the Coming Season.

Members of the Toronto Symphony Orchestra rallied to the support of the business management at an informal supper in the Canada Life Building last evening at which H. C. Cox presided. There was a large and representative attendance, and plans suggested by the executive committee regarding the work to be undertaken this season were unanimously agreed upon. Mr. Cox, executive manager of the orchestra and laid before the members the program, which, having received the approval of the business management, will be carried out immediately. Frank S. Welsman, conductor, spoke in appreciation of the splendid spirit of co-operation that was manifested in his Medical Certificate attached, when he will receive in due course a certificate of exemption until those in his medical category are summoned for service.

IMPORTANT SALE

Chas. M. Henderson & Co., the well-known auctioneers have been holding a sale of the contents of the new art galleries, to sell all the remaining articles in the old rooms. The sale, which is expected to be large, will take place on Monday and Tuesday, October 29 and 30, starting at 11 o'clock each day. Many valuable pieces will be put up for sale, embracing shop fixtures, mirrors, desks, electric fans, typewriters, electric stoves, blenders, awnings, and also a large quantity of old mahogany, walnut, and rosewood furniture, of china, glass ornaments and sundries. Household furniture will also be much in evidence, this being the property of clients. Everything is sold without reserve. Arrangements have been made so that out-of-town orders can be properly packed and forwarded.

NIAGARA GETS SHARE

Part of Fish Shipment Remains in City With Dealers.

A shipment comprising 27 boxes of government fish arrived in the city last night, and ten cases were shipped to Niagara Falls. The remainder of the fish, which is expected to be fresh, will be forwarded to other centres during the present week.

POSTAL CLERKS GET RAISE

Intimation Received That Promised Hundred Dollar Increase is on Way.

A. E. Crate, president of the Postal Clerks' Association, has received an intimation from Deputy-Postmaster-General Robert M. Coulter, to the effect that the provisional increase of \$100 a man, voted immediately prior to the prorogation of parliament, to every member of the postal department who reach the man affected within a few days. This increase is to date from April 1, 1917.

W. A. BOYS CHOSEN

Asks For More Work. Mrs. Oliver, whose husband, Sergt. Oliver, has been overseas for two years, has been on the occasional staff. Her father was at one time a principal in Toronto, and she was born in Toronto and taught here several years prior to her marriage. She is supporting three small children and yet in the last two months she had a total of six girls to investigate.

Wm. Kerr, superintendent of supplies, had two matters he wished to bring before the committee. One was the matter of principals buying books from agents, and the other was the matter of the use of the schools on Saturday, necessitating extra heat. It was moved that the board decline to pay any accounts for books purchased without an order from the superintendent and notice was to be sent to principals to this effect. As far as the Saturday permits were concerned, the committee wished the orders carried out, that those using the rooms were to furnish their own heat, for the amount of heat and light used in this way was going to amount to about \$10,000 for the winter, if not looked after. The caretakers were to be instructed that they were only to open the rooms, not to heat the buildings on Saturdays.

SCHOOLS WILL NOT BE HEATED SATURDAYS

Management Committee Board of Education Will Not Stand for Extra Expense of Fuel.

The management committee of the board of education met Wednesday afternoon with the following members present: Dr. C. Brown, Dr. Hopkins, Dr. Hunter, Dr. Noble, C. A. B. Brown, Miles Vokes and Wm. Houston.

A representative of the home visitation movement was present, asking for a half-holiday for the schools on Saturday for Sick Children. Benjamin Cohen had written a letter about his little orphans, Willie, and his mother, Mrs. Oliver, who is a pupil at Harbour College Institute. He had been given a scholarship his first year, but was warned that his conduct would have to be better in future to ever get another. It improved, but not enough to satisfy the principal so that when the next year he was eligible for a scholarship as far as his academic standing was concerned, he did not get it. Benjamin complained that this was not fair. Principal Hagarty was present and explained that Willie's conduct was very bad, that he had even some so far as to circulate papers, speaking disrespectfully of the staff and urging the boys to do less work. Trustee Noble thought it was none of their business and that they should not interfere in the work of the principals. Trustee Vokes wanted to see in writing what the lad's bad conduct had been, and so the matter was left.

THREE-STORY SCHOOLS WILL BE DISCUSSED

Property Committee of Board of Education Meets This Afternoon, and Will Hear Inspector's Report.

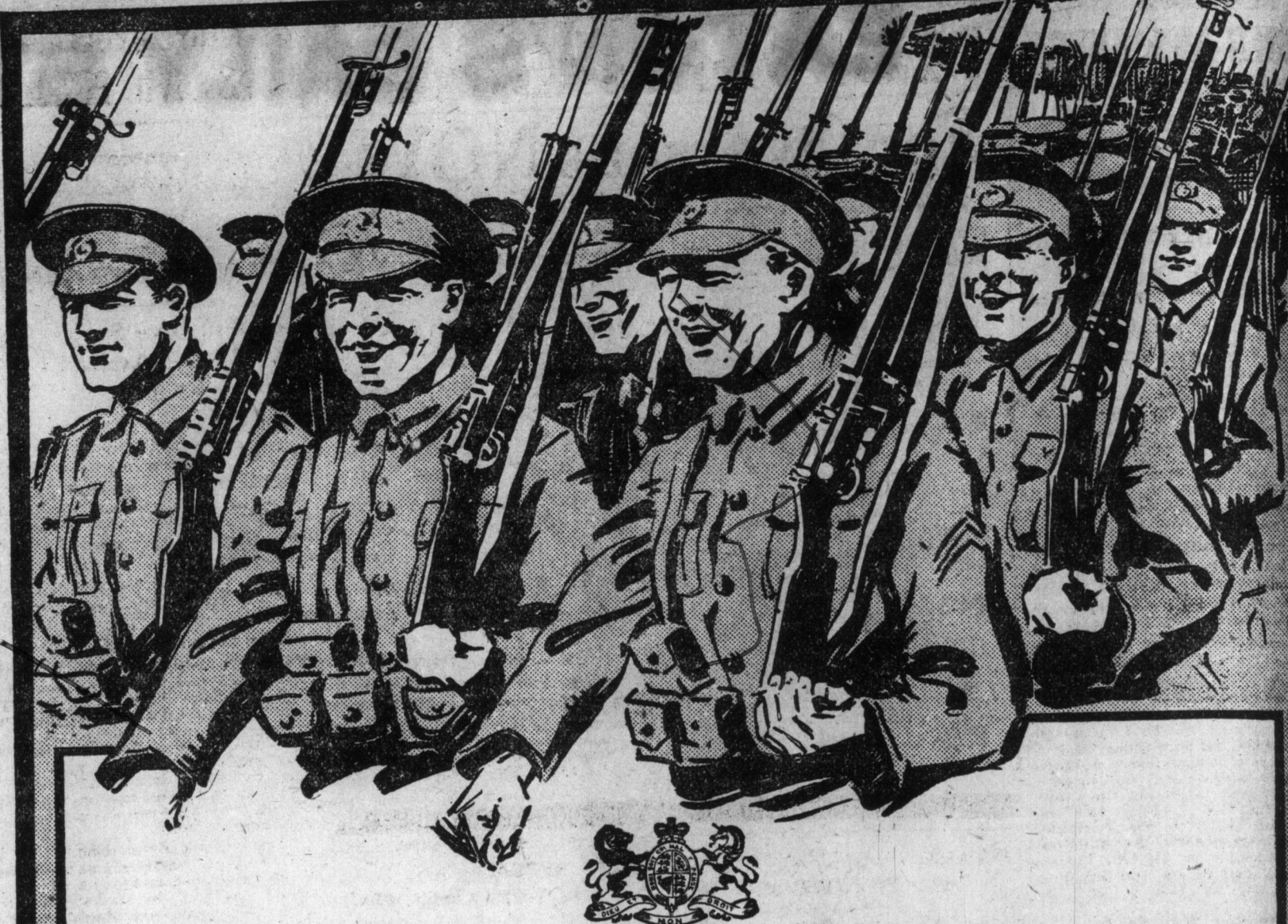
The property committee of the board of education will meet this afternoon in the administration building on College street at 4 o'clock. The motion of the board of October 18 that it declared itself in favor of three-story school buildings in future for the City of Toronto, will be considered. Chief Inspector Cowley will also present his report of plans for new school buildings.

CANADIAN NORTHERN TIME TABLE CHANGES

Effective November 1st, train No. 10, leaving Toronto Union Station at 4:45 p.m. for Nanapanee, and train No. 9, arriving Toronto 11:35 a.m. from Nanapanee, will operate between Toronto and Trenton only. Further particulars of changes from city office, 52 King St. East, or Depot Ticket Office, Union Station.

SUIT OVER DEED TRANSFER

Claiming that the title deeds on lots alleged to have been purchased in Saskatchewan were not transferred, Jan B. Giffin in the non-jury assizes, before Chief Justice Sir Glenholme Falconbridge yesterday, was suing James E. Foster of Toronto, E. H. McArthur and G. C. Foster of Calgary and Anthony Menke, trading as the Foster Realty Company, for the sum of \$688.25, being payment made on such lots. The defendants claim that these deeds can be properly transferred, and the case is proceeding.



Will Class One Provide The One Hundred Thousand Men?

It will be greatly to the advantage of Canada if the entire quota of 100,000 men to be raised under the Military Service Act can be secured from the first class; that is, from the men between the ages of 20 and 34 who were unmarried or widowers without children on July 6th, 1917.

This is almost self-evident for the following reasons: it is admitted that, between the ages of 20 and 34, the average man is at the height of his physical strength and is most adaptable to the change of conditions from civilian life; the military Service of unmarried men and widowers without children would occasion less distress than that of most others, since they are largely without dependents. Also, it would entail less financial burden for Canada, through separation allowances, etc.

Authorities estimate that, after all proper examinations have been allowed, Canada should be able to produce from the first class 100,000 men fit for service, so the drain upon the man power of the country will not be severe.

Members of Class One will be well advised to present themselves for examination immediately to the Medical Board in their district. Upon examination as to their physical fitness, they will be placed in one of the following categories:

- Category A—fit for service in overseas fighting units.
Category B—fit for service overseas in Army Medical Corps, Forestry Battalion, etc.
Category C—fit for service in Canada only.
Category E—fit for military service of any nature.

If not placed in category A, the applicant will know that he is not liable for immediate service, but will go to the Post Office and send in a claim for exemption with his Medical Certificate attached, when he will receive in due course a certificate of exemption until those in his medical category are summoned for service.

Where a man, who is placed in category A, feels that exemption should be allowed, an application form can be secured from the postmaster. This form, when filled in, will be forwarded by the postmaster to the registrar of the Exemption Board. The applicant will be informed by mail as to the time and place for the consideration of his application by the Exemption Board.

Issued By The Military Service Council.

WILL THE MORMON LAW EVER BE RECOGNIZED IN TORONTO?

YOKOHAMA VISITOR TALKS ABOUT JAPAN

Tells of Country's System of Conscription and Naval Losses Sustained in Great War.

Oshio Oldguchi of Yokohama is registered at the Prince George Hotel. He is in the city on business, and arrived in Canada the middle of September.

Mr. Oldguchi, who has studied at both New York University in New York City and King's College, London, Eng., speaks English fluently, and in the course of an interview with a reporter for The World emphasized the fact that conscription in Japan is in a very flourishing condition, that men are out of work and that wages are unusually high, but as in all other countries of the world so also in Japan, the cost of living has risen and is high.

"A number of our best ships have been sunk," continued Mr. Oldguchi, "and for this reason commerce and transportation are rendered difficult. We have access to Europe, however, by two routes an eastern and a western. Our western route takes us thru the wastes of Manchuria and the steppes of Russia. With only a one-rail service our western route becomes almost a negligible quantity. Our eastern route into Canada is practically safe. It is in the Mediterranean Sea that our losses have been heaviest."

Japan's Conscription. "You ask me if I favor our military service bill or if I can tell you just where it differs from our conscription. I disclaim any sense of favoring any system your great country adopts. I would merely point out such differences as I may have noted. Your act gives much scope for exemption. I believe. We of Japan have followed rather, not with intent I may say, the rigorous system of conscription in vogue in Germany. Every young man at 21 has to join our army, and in that that capacity for which by virtue of his former training he is adapted. If he is a fisherman by trade he becomes a sailor in our navy; if he is a student he learns to become one of the army's leaders of men. No matter what his family or avowed trade or profession, both the army and the navy have a niche ready for him, into which he must perforce go."

In conclusion, Mr. Oldguchi stated that in Japan there was considerable discussion as to the feasibility of sending a large army over to Europe, the problem of the commissariat being of the utmost gravity, due to the comparative uselessness of the cavalry trail thru Russia.

RAIL PRETENCES CHARGED

George Edwards Remanded for One Week in Criminal Court.

Before Judge Winchester, George Edwards appeared on three charges of false pretences. The prisoner, who is a partner in the firm of the Allan Edwards, Speers Realty Co., purchased 51 lots for the sum of \$15,000 in Leaside avenue, and paid \$5000 as part payment. When he came to pay for each individual lot, the money was not forthcoming unless he paid the whole of the \$10,000, which he was not able to do. In consequence the charges were brought against him by Mrs. E. Edwards, Speers Realty Co., who claimed that he could not hand over the title deeds to them. W. B. Horkins, who appeared for accused, said with the consent of the first mortgagee, George Edwards, willing to pay \$5000 of the \$10,000 and then would be in a position to give clear titles to the purchasers on the first mortgage on the balance of the purchase price, with a provision for the first mortgagee to be repaid. The mortgagee was remanded for a week to see if he could be satisfied with the arrangement, these arrangements may be made.

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FIRE MARSHAL TO HOLD AN ENQUIRY

Investigation of Aberdeen Chambers Blaze Will Be Held in City Hall.

CLEARLY INCENDIARISM

Fire-Bug Takes Great Pains to Get Conflagration Started.

Just as soon as the police obtain further information in connection with the fire that occurred during the early hours of yesterday morning in the Aberdeen Chambers, Provost Marshal E. P. Heaton will open a court of enquiry at the city hall. The fire was the incendiary one and so well was the incendiary organized that the building was completely gutted with a loss of several thousand dollars.

Saturated With Oil. The building is a four-storey one and the second and third floors, which are partly of iron, were saturated with oil. On each of these floors large candles, placed on wooden stands soaked in oil, were placed to each of these stands a quantity of shavings and the candles were lighted and caused the fire to gain great headway.

The fire was first seen by S. Glenn, 210 Albany avenue, who noticed the flames coming out of the building while he was proceeding to work. He immediately ran to the fire box and sounded a general alarm.

T. D. MULHOLLAND IS DEAD AT PETERBORO

Had Been Long Connected with Perkins, Ince & Co., Toronto, and Was Prominent Gaffer.

The death occurred on Tuesday evening of Thomas David Mulholland, son of the late William Mulholland of Lansing, at the age of 48. Mr. Mulholland, who died at his residence in Peterboro, had been long connected with the Peterboro branch of Perkins, Ince & Co. of Toronto.

REVENUES CHARGED

Remanded for One Criminal Court. Winchester, in the afternoon, George Edwards, on three charges of larceny, was remanded for one criminal court.

CONFERENCE ARRANGED

Attempt to Be Made to Reach Agreement re Metropolitan Purchase. City officials and representatives of the Metropolitan Railway will hold a conference on Tuesday next in an endeavor to come to some agreement regarding the intangible assets of the railway and thus expedite the city's taking it over according to a statement given The World by Mayor Church late yesterday.

SEEK STANLEY HORNE

The C.P.R. Co.'s telegraph has an important telegram for Stanley Horne of Winnipeg, Man., who is said to have enlisted in the Royal Flying Corps here. The C.P.R. telegraph has been unable to find him. The C.P.R. telegraph desires information as to his whereabouts in order to effect delivery of the telegram.

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ONTARIO'S CONTRIBUTION AROUND TWO MILLION

British Red Cross Donations From Many Small Places Are Still Only Estimated.

According to the latest compilation of returns from the British Red Cross campaign, Ontario's contribution to date is \$1,584,585. In arriving at this total the objectives only of many towns and cities were included, and no consideration was taken of amounts under \$100.

The following contributions have been received at the office of the organization of resources committees: Mitchell, \$1447; Stratford, \$25,000; Smith Township, \$1684; Peterboro, \$23,000; Fort Frances, \$1500; Renfrew County, \$1000; Pembroke, \$4000; Renfrew, \$6500; Midland, \$3000; Barrie, \$5000; Port Arthur (municipal grant), \$1000; Brant County, \$7000; Ford City, \$25,000; Oakville, \$5000; Debra Village, \$2249; Keswick Township, \$2000; Williamsburg, \$5500; Lambton County, \$18,000; Bosanquet Township, \$1000; Sarnia, \$14,500; Perth, \$1000; Napawan, \$1000; Merrickton, \$1000; Nipawin, \$2000; Norfolk County, \$14,335; Seymour Township, \$1200; Brock Township, \$2000; Westborough, \$1000; Scott Township, \$2500; Oshawa, \$14,000; Nissour East, \$1100; Tilsonburg (incomplete), \$2500; Ingersoll (incomplete), \$4000; Tisdale, \$1000; Cobalt, \$2500; New Liskeard, \$1225; Lindsay (objective), \$11,500; Hespelear, \$2000; Preston, \$5000; Waterloo, \$3000; Galt (objective), \$3500; Welland, \$3000; Niagara Falls (objective), \$10,000; Wellington County, \$2000; Durkas, \$2800; Brimley Township, \$2000; York Township, \$18,000; Mount Dennis, \$200; Aurora (objective), \$1200; Newmarket (objective), \$4000; Weston (objective), \$5000.

NEW BUILDINGS PLANNED

Many Permits Issued by City Architect's Department.

While the court of revision has been making wholesale reductions in the assessment of certain downtown sections of the city, the general prosperity is well evidenced by the permits granted by the city architect's department for new buildings, many of which are to be garages and dwellings.

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

City Solicitor Gives Account of Work During Year. During July, August and September the investigation of insurance claims to the number of 675 has engaged the attention of the city solicitor's department. During the same period five superior and county court cases were disposed of.

FL. CREWMAN C. M. SHOOK WOUNDED

Word has been received in Toronto to the effect that Flight Commander Alexander McDonald Shook, who went overseas with the first contingent of the R.F.C. from Toronto, has been wounded. Flight Commander Shook was born in Clarkson 28 years ago. He was stationed in Solonica prior to being in action in France.

CONTINUE ABATTOIR AS CIVIC PROJECT

Controller Cameron Says This Has Been Practically Arranged.

BUTCHERS' ASSURANCE

They Will Give Support and Use All Available Facilities.

When asked about the recommendations of the committee of wholesale and retail butchers regarding the civic abattoir, Controller Cameron said that the committee was to pass its suggestions along to him in order that they might be submitted to the board of control.

HOTELS APPEAL FOR LOWER ASSESSMENT

Ontario Temperance Act Blamed by Owners for Lowered Values.

Assessment reductions were made by the court of revision yesterday on two hotels owing to the effect of the Ontario Temperance Act on the hotel business.

TRIED BY COURT-MARTIAL

At a district court-martial held at Eglinton Camp yesterday, Acting Corporal Fred Wm. Layman of No. 2 Special Service Battalion was charged with allowing Pte. N. C. H. Baker to desert.

HINGED INSULATION ON TREES

Municipalities with electric street lighting often find trouble in keeping the hinged insulation on trees.

SHE WENT DAYS WITHOUT FOOD

When Hospital Treatment Failed—An Operation Was Advised—But Cure Was Effected Without the Use of the Knife.

Gloucester, N.S., Oct. 24.—Here is a case which sorely puzzled the hospital doctors. It was evident that the great suffering from spinal under first 2 vertebrae blade was due to torpidity of the liver, but no medical treatment seemed to do any good.

ENOUGH COAL HERE BY MIDDLE OF NOVEMBER

Assistant Fuel Controller Comments on Recent Order.

"It simply has to be by my statement of over a month ago that by the middle of November we would have enough coal in Canada to remove any fears of a coal famine this winter."

Prof. R. L. MULVENEY'S World Famous Tape Worm Exterminator is Working Wonders



Dear Sir—I am much pleased to recommend your medicine, for the removal of Tape Worms, as I had doctored with many different doctors, with no success, but I from the time I took your medicine I had the worm, head and body.

Another Little Child

This is Cecil Staub, of Elm St., La Salle, N.Y. One dose of Professor Mulveney's Famous Tape Worm Exterminator did the work quickly, removing head and all, it measured about 25 feet and can be seen at 78 Niagara St., Buffalo, N.Y., with many others from Buffalo.

SUFFERED TEN YEARS

I took the medicine at 9:00 a.m. and at 1 o'clock the worm came head and all. I have suffered with a tape worm for ten years, would be pleased to recommend this medicine at any time.

WANT CONTEST IN EACH LOCAL SEAT

Liberal Executive of Toronto Strongly Opposed to Union Government.

The World has received the following statement from C. W. Kerr, president of the executive of the Central Liberal Association of Toronto, which, he states, is the stand taken by that body.

LIBERAL BISHOPS TELL OF GREAT NEED FOR MEN

Far Northwestern Districts Require Many More of Right Stamp to Labor as Missionaries.

The unfavorable weather last night was no doubt responsible for the very small attendance in St. Annes Parish Hall, Dufferin street, when the Bishops of Keewatin and Athabasca, as well as Bishop of Regina, spoke of the work of the missionaries in those far-off districts.

CONFERENCE ARRANGED

Attempt to Be Made to Reach Agreement re Metropolitan Purchase.

SEEK STANLEY HORNE

The C.P.R. Co.'s telegraph has an important telegram for Stanley Horne of Winnipeg, Man., who is said to have enlisted in the Royal Flying Corps here.

How People Feel When They Have Tape Worm

Tape worm is bred from a parasite. This parasite is a crested male and female in one. It is a pear shape, having two, four and six suckers. It lays the eggs, which are only connected together at the bowels. They develop and form a body, which is the worm. Each joint is an individual, having a sucker or mouth. The worm grows to be much longer than the bowels. It is located, and sometimes a whole colony of them are found, enough to fill a quart of solid worm, and when put in a bucket of water would apparently float. It is the hardest task in the world to destroy this parasite without doing injury to the individual who may be so unfortunate as to have it, as the parasite clings to the bowels, freeing itself from the body of the worm and remains there to breed another. It is an internal demon and causes its victim to suffer all the symptoms of disease imaginable.

Letters From Satisfied Customers

The Originals of Which May Be Seen at My Office, 167 Dundas St., Toronto, Ont. No. 73 Niagara St., Buffalo, N. Y. Dear Sir—I had tapeworm for two years, and I have tried all kinds of remedies, but I was advised by the doctors to fast for three days, and after fasting three days I did not throw out the head. I cost me several dollars, then I didn't get better. The Buffalo Evening Times, and immediately wrote you a letter. After trying your medicine, I was cured in six hours. Professor Mulveney's "tape worm medicine" is the best in the history of the world. With one simple dose, and no starvation, it cures instantly. I recommend it. It's the very best. I also like to see it advertised in the Buffalo papers.

SIX MILLION TONS OF SHIPS WANTED

Lord Northcliffe Does Not See Requisite Building in United States.

Chicago, Oct. 24.—Lord Northcliffe, head of England's special mission to this country, was the guest of honor at a banquet of the Chicago Association of Commerce tonight. The men who were present, in conformity with the request of the national food administration, in addition to the banquet, the guest received a warm welcome when he arose to speak.

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THURSDAY MORNING, OCT. 25.

A Purchasing Commission.

One of the first national benefits to come out of the new union government is the abolition of party patronage in the purchase of supplies. The war purchasing commission under Sir Edward Kemp has already proved its usefulness in the most practical way possible in the midst of war by economy in prices and quality in material. It was on the satisfactory and effective results obtained thru this experience that the prime minister contemplates the retention of the commission and the extension of its activities to all departments of the government. Hitherto its duties have been confined to the department of militia and defence, the department of the naval service, and the department of justice in connection with internment operations. What has proved so successful in these fields will no doubt prove equally satisfactory in other directions. The imperial munitions board is making a success of it in Canada.

The policy is a great step towards applying business methods to the business affairs of the country. No store or factory could carry on business on the patronage basis and avoid bankruptcy. The war and its gigantic expenditures demonstrates that it is impossible for the nation to follow on a war scale a policy which even in peace times frequently laid a heavy burden on the resources of the country.

Hereafter there will be no patronage list in the government's purchasing bureau. All supplies will be bought on tender, after public advertisement or circular addressed to all known sources of supply. It means a saving of millions to the country, and adds another potent objection to any policy that favors a return to party government on the old line.

Coal Crisis is Serious.

In spite of all the assurances, the statements and the promises of the authorities and others, the coal situation in Toronto remains as bad as ever, and worse, if anything, than last year. We have pleaded with others for the taking over of the Grand Trunk Railway as the weak link in the chain of last year's experience. That the authorities should be satisfied to face another winter under even worse conditions seems incredible.

There is a gleam of hope in the report last night that a joint railway committee of management of all the railways of the Dominion is being formed. This will undoubtedly relieve the traffic pressure. But it is no guarantee that there will be coal to convey. That is a problem which rests with the United States authorities. It is stated that so far as the fuel controller of the United States is concerned Canada will be treated as one of the states and will receive her share of coal pro rata for the population. Just what that proportion is to be, and how it is to be determined, remains to be seen; and here we are again in presence of the fact that no organization of the details has been undertaken, and it is entirely doubtful whether evidence could be produced to satisfy Washington of how much coal we actually stand in need.

There is plenty of coal in the United States, if it could be got. But it has not been mined, and it is not being mined in sufficient quantities. There is coal enough to supply America's needs for centuries, allowing for the growth of population. But just at this minute there is not coal enough for Toronto, and there are hundreds of towns across the border as badly off, and some not so well.

The coal operators have been to a large extent responsible for the situation. The idolatrous worship of the fetish "law" of supply and demand by doctrinaires and profiteers has led to the curtailment of production in order to exact high prices. In addition, there is also another element to be considered, an enemy element, but whether an enemy of society or an enemy of the nation is not clear. It is natural to suppose that Germany would have a hand in any movement that would diminish the output of coal and embarrass the production of war munitions. On the other hand, there is a class of alien labor, anarchistic, ignorant as the Russian proletariat, which would sacrifice the liberty of the world for the law of supply and demand. Out of all this confusion and strain there must speedily come some solution. There have been great strikes and others are threatened in various mines in Ohio, Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Arkansas.

Dr. Garfield, the fuel controller, has stated that if necessary he will employ his authority and seize and operate the mines in the interest of the government and the people. In time of war there is no standing on ceremony, and Dr. Garfield is a man of his word. Canada is vitally interested in the situation not merely because it is war time, but because it is winter time. Had there been such weather this October as we have sometimes had the suffering would have been terrible.

Use All the Machinery.

Something our union government might consider is more effective use by the federal authorities of the machinery already provided by provincial and municipal organizations. Up to date the Dominion Government has dealt with the people almost as tho no other governments existed. This may have been necessary, as our provinces differ so widely in wealth, area, population and temperament, but another plan was certainly pursued and, we think, with good results in the United States.

The provinces and municipalities are eager to help, and they have helped in a wonderful way, but they have not been fitted into a closely-built machine. There has not been thrown upon them that sense of responsibility which comes of saying to a state or a province, "You must raise so much money and so many men." Quite possibly, for example, things might have gone better if more responsibility had been directly thrown upon the provincial government of Quebec. President Wilson has made every state govern

one of his lieutenants; and the sheriff of every county, and the mayor of every city, town and village has been impressed into the national service for war duty. At first many of the state governments were found to be poorly organized and ill equipped for the work suddenly thrown upon them, but in the main they soon developed a high degree of efficiency.

Plainly a union government can utilize provincial and municipal machinery more effectively than a party government. In Quebec, for example, the municipal head of a parish or township could be admirably used for registration and enumeration purposes by the union government, and corresponding municipal officials will be found in nearly all the other provinces. The minister of finance and his associates in the Victory Loan are using our municipal organizations.

It is just possible that if each province had been given a quota of men to raise at the outbreak of the war the Province of Quebec, under the leadership of the Gouin government, would have made a better showing. At any rate, the necessity for conscription would have been sooner recognized by the country at large and might have been more temperately discussed in Quebec. We need a great deal of federal machinery, and to work it properly we must have a large number of federal officials, but none the less it would be a good thing to more freely utilize the elaborate network of governmental activity already furnished by municipal organizations.

On the other hand, there is force in the contention that every locality should have some official like the postmaster directly responsible to the national government. As things are now we cannot pay such an official a decent salary or provide him with a proper office. When, however, the Dominion Government owns and operates not only the postoffice, but the railway, telegraph and telephone services, we can have a bureau of communication in every small centre presided over and directed by an official responsible to Ottawa, and fitly representing the power and might of the Dominion Government.

The Bell Memorial.

It has been the custom for our United States cousins to claim the credit of having invented the telephone, and Boston even asserts that the first telephone conversation was held in the hub of the Universe. Brantford has done nobly in commemorating the great distinction conferred upon her by having had Alexander Graham Bell as a citizen when he completed his world-famous invention. Mr. Fred Salter, the European representative of the Grand Trunk Railway in London, called from England his regret at being unable to be present in Brantford yesterday. He was one of the first to speak over the world's first telephone between Brantford and Tutel Heights, the home of Dr. Bell, forty odd years ago—in 1876, to be specific. Boston can scarcely upset this alibi.

The memorial is one of the artistic monuments of Canada, and is due to the genius of Walter S. Allward, the talented Toronto sculptor. His excellency the governor-general took part in the ceremony and made it a national event. The monument stands in the old Bell homestead, which had been acquired by the Bell Memorial Association, which had been originated by Mr. W. F. Cockshead, and his excellency dedicated the grounds to the public as the "Alexander Graham Bell Gardens."

Mr. Bell is still fortunately hale and hearty. He places no limit to the science to which he added so important a contribution himself, and in his remarks looked forward to the telephotoscope of the future by which he shall see as clearly and as far as now the telephone enables us to hear.

What gives the telephone a more than Canadian habitation and a name is the recollection of a member of The World staff, at that time on The Globe in this city, that a cable came from the late Hon. George Brown, then in London, to his brother (the late Gordon Brown) that he had taken up the Bell invention with capitalists in that great city and that he had decided not to continue any further negotiations for its purchase!

Dr. Brittain's New Work.

For some years the bureau of municipal research has done splendid work in the investigation of problems of finance and organization in various civic and municipal activities, with the result that the patient and valuable work accomplished has done much to educate public opinion on the necessity of better business methods being applied in public institutions. Dr. Horace Brittain has been the man behind the work, and with a capable staff he has done an immense work in setting forth the facts and actual conditions in many departments of our public affairs.

Last May a survey of the affairs of the General Hospital was undertaken by the bureau, and the result has been such that the trustees of the hospital have decided to give Dr. Brittain, who, by the way, is a doctor of philosophy and not of medicine, an opportunity for a year to apply some of his principles in a reorganization of the administration side of the hospital affairs.

Dr. Clarke will continue to be medical director and Dr. Brittain will be superintendent for this term, and those who know both gentlemen believe there could not be a happier combination. The investigation already proceeded with has shown the cost of maintenance to compare very favorably with that of similar institutions, and when the figures appear more favorable for other places the high standard of the Toronto General Hospital must not be overlooked. The daily cost per patient in Toronto is \$2.23, which is much better than any average, the New York Presbyterian Hospital requiring \$4.96 a day, the Johns Hopkins, Baltimore, \$4.02; the Lakeside, Cleveland, \$2.78; the Montreal General, \$2.65, as compared with the Toronto at \$2.23.

Cheaper results are shown at the Royal Victoria, Montreal, with \$2.18; the Winnipeg General, at \$2.05; and the Cincinnati General, at \$2.01; and it may be that Dr. Brittain may find it possible to make a ten per cent. cut for Toronto. He has shown himself a wizard of organization elsewhere, and there is no question that unexpected results can be attained by the application of skill and experience.

Those who have been interested in Dr. Brittain's work in the bureau of research will be glad to know that the present arrangement is a temporary one, and that Dr. Brittain's experience will be available in the fields in which we have been accustomed to observe him at work when the General Hospital has had the benefit of his attention.

In point of geographical elevation Madrid is the highest city in Europe.

The Union Government's Policy.

Christian Guardian, October 24: Last week the new union cabinet issued its platform, which includes twelve planks, some of the most important of which are: (1) The vigorous prosecution of the war; (2) civil service reform; and the abolition of patronage; (3) the extension of the franchise to women; and (4) adequate taxation of war profits and increased taxation of incomes. We wish that the planks had included one for the abolition of the liquor traffic during the war; but possibly this may come later. With this exception the new platform will, we think, prove generally satisfactory.

But the formation of the union cabinet places both political parties in a very peculiar position, and some strong party men on both sides are muttering maledictions upon the party leaders who have placed them in the position of not knowing exactly what to do. The old method of following the party line thick and thin, and denouncing political opponents with all possible vehemence, was simple, easy and popular. But now the situation is very much complicated by the fact that two parties are united and old political opponents are now fighting under the same banner. Such a situation has never been faced in Canada within recent years, and it has peculiar difficulties of its own, which will aim to cement rather than to divide the new political union.

It is evident that the old party system will not work in this election, and the Conservative and Liberal organizations are recognizing this, and in not a few cases are postponing nominations until both sides of politics can meet together all to the good. If the government is to be a union one, then we must, as far as possible, forget our political likes and dislikes, and remember only that we are Canadians. If so the wild ideas come, which forget their politics, then the men at home can do the same.

The Christian Guardian is being criticized by some for its present stand in favor of union government, and some of our respected brethren declare that we have no right to take sides politically. We are sorry that any of our friends should feel aggrieved in any way, but we do not regret, to us, as to most Canadians at this juncture, there is neither Grit nor Tory, neither free trader nor protectionist, but only patriot and non-Conservative, and it is possible process that we can get, and will make loyalty to party in the old and narrow acceptance of the term, seem, at this time in our history, anything that is good or even decent.

Of course, as one of our correspondents points out, the present policy is disturbing, it upsets our plans and leaves it to us to make the best of it. But even so, it may be expected. If the present experiment should result in the introduction of a new element, a new spirit, into the political life of Canada, we would say, without being too critical of it, that we should be glad to see it. And if the people of Canada cannot attempt any radically new and progressive action in a day like this, when may they hope to attempt it? Surely, if the union government is to be a real one, the abolition of patronage—and it stands a vastly better chance of succeeding than any party government could—it will much more than atone for it. If the disturbance of party comfort it has caused.

BOOK REVIEWS

"With the Children on Sundays." By Elizabeth Hall, D.D., 135 line drawings, 3 full-page color illustrations, by Miss C. M. Burd; 4 half-tone pictures, 20 pages, quarto volume, size 9 1/2 x 7; full cloth, 350 pages, price, \$1.50. The World Book Co., 222 North Fifteenth street, Philadelphia, Pa.

The author of the book was a lover of children, and he evidently knew how to win them. His avowed object is to render Sunday a delightful time, without in any way detracting from the sacredness of the day. Realizing that the normal child mind is the same on every day of the week, he introduces the idea of "Playing Church." The little ones drive to church, with chairs for horses. They act as ushers to their parents, their dolls, and their auditors. A regular service is conducted. The children themselves do some of the preaching, and at the end of the service the conclusion from "With the Children on Sundays" is read. Questions are asked concerning the lesson, and the children are encouraged to give their own answers. The book is a real gem, and the illustrations are all so interesting in this volume that one could scarcely speak of them as studies, but rather, as illuminating conversations with the young. Those who have much to teach to do, and often find that their lessons fall flat and are stale and unprofitable, will find it full of suggestions, and stimulating, from the first page to the last.

"Red Pepper's Patients." By Grace S. Richmond. Published by McClelland, Goodchild & Stewart.

Those who have followed the fiery-headed, soft-hearted Red Pepper Burns thru Mrs. Richmond's previous works will gladly welcome another of these delightful stories. This one is concerned especially with Anne Ingham, who comes to Dr. Burns' office in a state of collapse, and proves a very interesting patient.

The love story comes Jonathan King, a thoroughly likeable hero, who is obliged to wait for Anne Ingham for many months. Also the love story holds an important place in the novel. Red Pepper Burns, Mrs. Richmond's best-loved character, and his sweet wife dominate the story.

"In Another Girl's Shoes." By Berta Ruck. Published by Hodder & Stoughton.

Don't start this story if there are bills to make out or mending to do. It is just as funny and just as engrossing as any of Berta Ruck's bright stories. Rose Whitehead is traveling to Wales to take a position as nursery gov-



erness when she meets Vera Wayne, the movie star.

"The Fate of Glory." By Joseph Hodder. Published by Hodder & Stoughton, Toronto. Price \$1.50.

"Aiyana who likes books of adventure will get plenty of adventures in 'The Fate of Glory.' It is full of excitement from front to back. Here is a young man, about 20 years old, who has been brought up as the son of a retired English admiral. On the eve of the young man's decision to decide whether he will stay at college or go into business, his father informs him that he isn't his father at all in fact, his father had been an Armenian, who escaped with him from the Turkish rule. He gets to Turkey and incidentally to free his countrymen from the Turkish rule. The first thing he does is to rescue his cousin and a friend, Victor Alexander. The first thing he does is to rescue his cousin and a friend, Victor Alexander. The first thing he does is to rescue his cousin and a friend, Victor Alexander.

The Turk and Russian lines to the grand duke, and next day the city is captured by the Russians. He then takes his aunt, his cousin, and the girl with whom he has fallen in love, to England. The girl has intended to marry his cousin and marry his cousin's friend, with whom he fell in love in Armenia.

There are some good historical descriptions in the story, and it is out of the general run of war stories, which makes it all the more interesting. There are some utterly impossible situations in the story, but like all youths, Victor manages to overcome all difficulties. The story probably would appeal to boys more than anyone else, and as a boy's story it's a good one.

"The Whistling Mather." By Grace S. Richmond. Published by McClelland, Goodchild & Stewart.

A war-time sketch for mothers and sons and folks in general. It is about a mother whose boy came home from college to say good-bye before he went to war; the story of a woman's splendid courage of her triumphant patriotism, and of how she sent her son out to help make the world safer for her boy's peace with a kiss and a smile and not a single tear.

The North American Idea.

Dr. James A. Macdonald of The Globe has just published his address delivered last spring before the School of Religion of Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn., under the title "The North American Idea." McClelland, Goodchild & Stewart, Toronto. By North American idea, Mr. Macdonald means the inalienable right of a free people to govern themselves. He discovers and discloses the records of a speech of Palmerston, delivered at an Anglo-American dinner many years ago, and notable for foreseeing the present war. Palmerston predicted with uncanny foresight the warring of a great war between despotism and liberty, either at the end of the last century or early in this. He also predicted the belief that Russia would lead the forces of despotism and autocracy, whereas it was Germany.

Dr. Macdonald supports internationalism and he appears to believe that it will dispense nationalism at the close of this war. Allied statesmen however, have taken the other view. They have declared again and again that this war is for oppressed nationalities. If the allies win a complete victory, they pur-

pose to establish new Slav nations in Poland and Austria-Hungary. Italy is fighting to redeem her territories still retained under the Austrian yoke. Germany began the war to impose Kultur and empire and therefore a kind of internationalism upon the world.

Every great war, however, and what acted upon it has always produced tyranny. After the Napoleonic wars, for example, Alexander of Russia led a league to enforce peace. The British League of Nations is a direct result of it. The League of Nations and became exceedingly oppressive. Its attempt to restructure Latin states of America for Spain caused the laying down of the Monroe doctrine by the United States, backed by the British fleet.

Dr. Macdonald reviews the history of Canada, and the United States in order to show that two countries can live in peace.

The Mexican Problem.

C. W. Barron, a prominent American financial writer, has written a book on Mexico, entitled "The Mexican Problem," published by Houghton Mifflin Company. He found Mexico, when he visited her in 1915, a chaotic and lawless country, torn between local factions, leading families, and political parties. The Mexican character is childlike, dependent, and trusting, whether at work or at play, or in revolution. The Mexican character is simply in need of a strong helping hand. It is not big business, which would have the United States lead Mexico financial, business and political assistance. He favors the throwing open of the country, which the Mexican people speak 123 tongues and in a better social conditions. He fears that Germany, looking ahead for business after the war, may secure a leadership in Mexico, for Mexico needs financial assistance and business development for years to come.

The public library in Chicago has ordered quantities of old periodicals to veterans who will agree to cut them up and make scrap books suitable for use by valiant soldiers. If the scrap books are too weak to handle heavy books.

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Resignation Was Accepted at International League Meeting to Let Him Look After New Organization--Some Important Baseball Changes.

The baseball pot is shimmering merrily these chilly fall days during the world series the international magnates got together in New York...

The next rumor was that Ben Johnson is to do war work and that own Ed. G. Barrow was to step into his shoes...

ST. MATTHEWS LAWN BOWLERS' OFFICERS

Reports Tell of Club's Wonderful Record for the Season Just Closed.

St. Matthew's Lawn Bowling Club held their annual meeting last night in the R. C. B. C. clubrooms.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected, as follows: Hon. president, Jos. Russell; president, H. C. Smith; vice-president, F. M. Johnston...

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shortly. The territory has been mapped out and the details gone into generally. The four international cities for the new league are not known as yet.

The American and National Leagues are going to clean house this winter and some big changes are to be made.

The announcement of the merger of the International League and the American Association will be made after the meeting of the National Association of Baseball Clubs...

CHAMPION DENTALS WILL HAVE MILAN

Ruby Milan, the clever little centre player of last year's champion Dentals...

Two changes are to be made in the Pacific Coast Hockey Association playing rules this season, according to an announcement by President Frank Patrick.

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Soccer Notes

A Winnipeg despatch says: After a lapse of two years Scottish regained the title—champions of Manitoba for 1917—by defeating the strong Presbyterian eleven 2 goals to 0.

AGGIES ARE DOWNED BY ST. JEROME COLLEGE

Guelph, Ont., Oct. 24.—By a score of 5 to 2 the football team of St. Jerome's College, Kitchener...

Rev. Paul Rader Pays Tribute to Lanky Bob

Chicago, Oct. 24.—Robert Fitzsimmons, who died at a hospital here last Monday...

REID HOLDEN OUT WITH THE CAPITALS

Former Argo Player Has Been Elected Captain—News of the Players.

Reid Holden, who played senior Rugby for a number of years with Argos, Ottawa Rough Riders and T.R. & A. has been elected captain of the Capital Intermediate O.R.F.U. team.

Soccer Notes

The proceeds of next Saturday's game at Scarborough Beach Park between Capitals and Technical of Hamilton will go to the O.A.C. organization...

Quiet Succeeds French Advance

With the French Armies in France, Oct. 24.—Comparative quiet has succeeded yesterday's battle. The German maps-ambushed by the rapidly and the extent of the French successes seemed momentarily stunned...

Benny Leonard Keeps Title

Cleveland, Oct. 24.—Benny Leonard, lightweight champion of the world, knocked out Toughie Ramser of Lorain...

Huns Still Retreat in East Africa Areas

London, Oct. 24.—(Via Reuters' Ottawa agency.)—Reuters' correspondent with the British forces in East Africa telegraphed today:

De Oro Leads Daly

New York, Oct. 24.—Alfred De Oro, of Cuba, holder of the three-cushion billiards title, retained his lead over John Daly...

Kingston Curlers

The Kingston Curling Club has elected the following officers: Lt.-Col. A. B. Cunningham, president; Pte. A. G. Wallace, vice-president...

Will Consult Dominions Before Negotiating Peace

London, Oct. 24.—(Via Reuters' Ottawa agency.)—In the house of commons today Mr. Hunt asked for an assurance that no peace negotiations would begin without the full knowledge and assent of the representatives of the great Dominions...

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Ladies' Night BY GENE KNOTT

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Society --- Mrs. Emma Phillips

His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire arrived in town last evening and is the guest of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Henare, at Government House. This morning his excellency visited the Bishop's school and in the afternoon (tomorrow) opens the Connaught Laboratory, Vaughan road, which has been the guest of Lady Evelyn Jones and Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Davidson, both returned to Ottawa to be present at the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Lash, which took place at the residence of Mrs. Lash, 49 St. George street, on Monday evening last.

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who possesses a beautiful contralto voice, singing at the spinning machine of the season. The church of the Redeemer, Bloor street, and Avenue Road, was the scene of a wedding ceremony of a quiet wedding, when Miss Lash, daughter of Mrs. Lash, 49 St. George street, Toronto, was married to Mr. Lash, son of Mr. Lash, 49 St. George street, Toronto, on Monday evening last.

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WAR MENUS

How to Save Wheat, Beef and Bacon for the Men at the Front. Issued From the Office of the Food Controller for Canada.

MENU FOR FRIDAY

Breakfast: Cornmeal Porridge, Milk Sugar Toast, Pear Jam, Tea or Coffee. Lunch: Scalloped Tomatoes, Bran Gems, Butter, Apple Sauce, Tea.

Dinner: Broiled Flank Haddock, Potatoes Parsnips, Steamed Gills, Fudding, Vanilla Sauce.

The recipes for Bran Gems and Broiled Flank Haddock, mentioned above, are as follows: Bran Gems: 1/2 cup flour, 1/2 cup sugar, 1/2 cup milk, 1/2 cup molasses, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1/2 teaspoon salt.

Broiled Flank Haddock: 1/2 pound haddock, 1/2 cup butter, 1/2 cup milk, 1/2 cup flour, 1/2 cup sugar, 1/2 cup molasses, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1/2 teaspoon salt.

Steamed Gills: 1/2 cup flour, 1/2 cup sugar, 1/2 cup milk, 1/2 cup molasses, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1/2 teaspoon salt.

Fudding: 1/2 cup flour, 1/2 cup sugar, 1/2 cup milk, 1/2 cup molasses, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1/2 teaspoon salt.

Vanilla Sauce: 1/2 cup flour, 1/2 cup sugar, 1/2 cup milk, 1/2 cup molasses, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 1/2 teaspoon salt.

Turn into a buttered mold. Cover and steam two hours. (Recipes by domestic science experts of the food controller's office.)

OUTLOOK BETTER FOR LIBERTY LOAN

Big Rush of Subscribers Seems to Assure the Five Billion Total.

Washington, Oct. 24.—A torrent of Liberty Loan subscriptions has swept the country since the goal of five billion dollars was set. How the government's financial situation has been carried by this, the banner day's activities, no one could tell tonight. Indications, however, are that had reached or passed the \$2,000,000,000 minimum but still lacked approximately \$2,000,000,000 of the maximum hoped for.

"It was believed unlikely," says the department's statement, "that anything like the correct estimate of the total day's business could be given before the close of the day. It is now possible to estimate that the \$2,000,000,000 minimum had been reached before the close of the day. If this three billion mark is reached, the loan may be closed tomorrow."

Every report received tonight at the treasury bore the same burden, tremendous business. President Wilson personally subscribed to \$15,000 of the loan.

UNDER CHILD LABOR LAW

The child was rather large, and the inspector would have passed her, except that it occurred to her strange that the birth of only one child should be recorded on the fly-leaf—and that in a fine Spencerian hand—when there were eight children in the family. Besides, the ink looked exceedingly fresh.

"What did you say your daughter's name was?" she asked. "Well, I am sorry but there is some mistake. The name here is not Martha." She pushed the bible towards them, but they made no effort to look at it. "As the inspector, entirely returned, could neither read nor write English, and they were so angry with the Americanized friend who made the mistake for them, that they confessed the whole thing quite naively.

To Have Complexion That Men Admire

"A man may admit, with great sophistication, that powder and rouge are necessary aids to beauty," says a writer, "but deep in his heart he dreams of the woman whose loveliness needs no artificial touching up."

Such women in increasing number are acquiring the marvellous wax habit. By applying the wax at night as they would cold cream, washing it off in the morning, they secure, and maintain, entirely natural complexion. Their faces exhibit no evidence of having been "beautified." Nothing is added to the complexion—the latter, instead, is discarded. Mole-colored wax, procurable at any drug store, is applied sparingly, absorbs the dirt and impurities of the skin gradually, almost imperceptibly. The fresh, clear, active underlain which appears, bears a healthy, youthful bloom not commensurate with the fixed artificial color.

Health Triumphs

over disease every time you use Lifebody Soap. For its mild healing and cleansing oils are charged with cleansing properties that make it simply invaluable.

LIFEBODY HEALTH SOAP

Mild and pure enough for Baby's skin—therefore eminently suitable for yours. The mild, antiseptic odor vanishes quickly after use.

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A very pretty wedding was solemnized yesterday afternoon at St. Paul's Church, Bloor street, when Ven. Archdeacon Kamloups, B.C., and Miss Annie Graham, of Bothwell, niece of Alderman Beamish of this city.

The bride, who was costumed in white broadcloth, was given away by her uncle, and the groom was supported by Isaac McLean, of Bothwell. Miss Annie Graham, of the bride's home city, was bridesmaid. The bride wore a sunburst of pearls, the gift of the groom.

After the ceremony the party went to the Hotel Carleton for dinner. Later the bride and groom left for an extended trip to New York and Montreal, the bride traveling in a tailor-made suit set off with a black picture hat. On their return the happy couple will reside at Kamloups, B.C.

TRAVEL CLUB OFFICERS.

The officers elected for the coming year at the annual meeting of the Travel Club, are: President, Mrs. G. W. Wood; first vice-president, Mrs. W. B. Cooper; second vice-president, Miss K. Cowan; corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. E. Stone; treasurer, Mrs. J. C. Fisher; convener of all committees, Mrs. Allen Denovan; convener of literature committee, Miss Dalton; convener of music committee, Mrs. James Lightbourne; current events, Mrs. Lightbourne and Mrs. Wm. E. Brown; press, Mrs. J. B. Saer. It was resolved that the club buy wool and that the women knit during the afternoon sessions.

DR. SIMON FLEXNER COMING.

In connection with the opening ceremonies of the Connaught Laboratory of the University of Toronto a lecture is to be delivered by Dr. Simon Flexner of the Rockefeller Institute, New York, at the Convention Hall, Thursday evening, October 25, at 8.30 on "The War Activities of the Rockefeller Institute." The public are cordially invited.

A FLYING COLLISION.

The author of "Tales of the Flying Services" tells of a "strange accident" that occurred in France. Not long ago, he says, he ran across an aviator I know looking very much annoyed and with one eye seriously injured on his cheek bone. Thinking that he had had a smash of some kind, he probably had landed in the front of a large sized bumblebee going in a hurry in the opposite direction.

"You see," he explained, "I was doing about 60 knots due east and he was doing between 35 and 40 knots due west, and he was a large bee, and I had been pitched against the terrific force of his wings. I hope he has spilled all his honey and that he's still unconscious!"

THRIFT COMMITTEE ANNUAL MEETING

Women Have Done Much for National Life in Educational Way.

TOO MUCH CANDY USED

Retiring President Deplores Use of Sweets During Time of War.

The annual meeting of the thrift and resources committee was held yesterday afternoon in the city hall, Miss C. Laing in the chair. Miss Church, secretary, read the report of the various activities of the year, which she summarized as having been of great interest to the national life of the country and of great help to the spread of patriotism among women.

The report of the treasurer, Mrs. C. Thompson, was read by Mrs. C. Thompson, showing receipts of \$180,000 and expenses, \$176,395.

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of extravagant Christmas giving and unnecessary delivery by stores were also touched upon, the speaker advocating legislation to limit delivery to two rounds a day.

Mrs. Joseph West thought that as a good deal of work for which the various sub-committees had been formed had been accomplished it would be a good idea for them to go out of existence as sub-committees and leave the work to the bigger organizations that had taken their place. Her idea was that a small committee should remain to take up anything that the resources committee should ask the women to undertake.

A good deal of discussion followed, in which Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Gurnett, Mrs. Tyrrell and others took part, and it was finally moved by Miss Doyle and carried that the committee should remain but that its name should be changed to the "Toronto Women's Auxiliary to the Resources Committee." Provisional officers chosen were: Chairman, Mrs. Campbell Myers; treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Thompson; secretary, Mrs. C. H. Burns.

Votes of thanks were given the mayor and board of control for the use of a room in the city hall and to the retiring president, Mrs. Looser, more, who, according to the mover, Mrs. Tyrrell, "had put enthusiasm into the organization at the expense of her own health, home and time."

TALK ON ADVERTISING. The speaker at the weekly meeting of the Women's Press Club was Eugene Beaupre, who gave a talk on "Advertising," which was illustrated by living models.

No Theatist. Pastor—Which Biblical character do you admire most? Deacon—Noah. And why do you admire Noah? Because he didn't sit down and wait for his ship to come in. He started something.

Want to See It All. This is the stadium. Now take us thru the curriculum. They say they have a good one here.

A BACKWOODS COLONEL. American troops now landing in France have received a more careful and prolonged training than could possibly be given the most of the regiments hurriedly raised during the Civil War. The story goes that a raw battalion of rough backwoods joined General Grant. He admired their fine physique, but distrusted the capacity of their uncouth commander to handle troops promptly and efficiently in the field, so he said: "Colonel, I want to see your men at work; call them to attention, and order them to march with shouldered arms in close column to the left flank."

Without a moment's hesitation the colonel yelled to his fellow-ruffians: "Boys, look wild that! Make ready to thicken and go left endways! Yoo-gee-goo! Gitt!" The manoeuvre proved a brilliant success, and the self-elected colonel was forthwith officially commissioned.

Two Men Arrive. With the air and Charles J. Stratus captured by Montevideo from the tank pending their police court. Harvey and from Buffalo weeks the police conducting "of Toronto, by Montevideo from the tank pending their police court. Harvey and from Buffalo weeks the police conducting "of Toronto, by Montevideo from the tank pending their police court. Harvey and from Buffalo weeks the police conducting "of Toronto, by Montevideo from the tank pending their police court.

By Sterrett

Polly and Her Pals

YOU UNDERSTAND THAT BY EACH MAKING A WAR SACRIFICE WE'LL BE DOING OUR BIT.

I'M FOR IT. POLLY, IT'S A GRAND IDEA!

PARDON ME, MAGGIE BUT I DIDN'T KETCH WOT YOU'D GAVE UP!

STRAWBERRIES, SAM! I'M OFF 'EM FER THE DOORATION OF THE WAR!

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POLICE BELIEVE THEY HAVE COPPER-MATCHERS

Two Men Arrested Thought to be Individuals Who Robbed Stranger in Park.

With the arrest of Charles T. Harvey and Charles J. Taylor on the downtown streets yesterday the police believe they have captured two more "film-flam" artists from the United States. Both were arrested by Detective Montgomery on the blanket charge of vagrancy, pending their appearance this morning in police court.

Harvey and Taylor came to Toronto from Buffalo and during the past two weeks the police allege they have been conducting "film-flam" work in and out of Toronto. The arrest of the prisoners by Montgomery was made on descriptions furnished the detective headquarters from men who claim to have been done out of sums of money by them.

Montgomery was traveling on a train from Hamilton to Toronto last week with a "picnic." While sitting in the coach with his men, Montgomery's attention was drawn toward them by their queer actions. The detective sized up the men pretty well and when he arrived at the detective office and heard that two men answering the description of the men whom he had seen on the train were wanted by the police he started out after them. Harvey was arrested on Victoria street, and when searched by Montgomery he had several strips of newspaper, cut in the shape of dollar bills, between two five-dollar bills. The edge of the paper was burned to make them

look like soiled bills, and they were fastened in roll form with a rubber band. They are alleged by the police to be the two men who took a farmer named John Horsley, of Gifford, to Queen's Park on October 10 and relieved him of \$200. Two Jews also complained to the police that they had each been done out of \$100.

Horsley told the detectives that while admiring the new union station he was approached by one of the men, who introduced himself as a stranger to Toronto. After a few remarks had been made it was decided that they go to see the parliament buildings. When they arrived at the park they were met by a third man who started to tell of how he had just been lucky and won a sum of money matching coppers. Horsley said he was asked to show how much money he had and when he presented his \$200 it and ran off.

The Secours National is considering plans whereby relief societies and other agencies inclined may here in Canada become "godfathers" and "godmothers" of liberated towns and villages in Belgium and France in response to the expressed desire of both French and foreign municipalities, with a view to sending gifts direct to particular areas, where they may be used to the best advantage. The Secours National is only awaiting more detailed information from France before making a special appeal to the many who are anxious to help the great cause.

AGED MAN FOUND WITH CLOTHING ALL ABAZE

Walter Willis Not Expected to Recover From Burns Received While Sitting Before Charcoal Fire.

With his clothing in flames, Walter Willis, aged 74, was found struggling in a chair in a house at 84 Levee street last evening by neighbors who were attracted by the old man's cries. Mrs. McNeice, with whom Willis lived, became frantic and collapsed, while other neighbors threw several pails of water on Willis to subdue the flames. The firemen of Bolton avenue station were called and rendered first aid. They bandaged and rendered first aid. He was taken to St. Michael's Hospital. He was badly burned about the body and little hope is held out for his recovery.

J. H. Maynard, a grocer at 71 East Queen street, was passing at the time and from what he could learn the old man's clothing had caught fire from a spark from a charcoal stove. Maynard early in the afternoon, and it is believed that after putting the charcoal into the fire Willis forgot to shut the door of the stove and dozed off to sleep in a easy chair.

YORK COUNTY AND SUBURBS

CORPORAL CLAYTON TELLS ABOUT WAR

Writes to Sister at Earls Court About Conditions at Front.

LITTLE GRUMBLING

Has Something to Say About Men Who Stay Safely at Home.

The following interesting letter was received by Mrs. J. Lee, secretary of the I. W. W. Association of Earls Court, from her brother, Corp. Fred Clayton, C. E. F., "somewhere in France," which reads, in part:

"We are just back in the lines after a three weeks' rest which was very much appreciated, for it is a different part and quite a plenty in comparison with the famous Vimy Ridge where we were previously stationed before we went on rest. We are billeted in a quaint little village. My section was put in a little hut, but we always had the privilege of hunting up a private in a large room in a rather comfortable house. We have all kinds of straw and hay and use of it up a nice cot; bed and the use of a good kitchen, where we may read, write and smoke. I do not know how long it is in the trenches, is very young and is not bad looking, and she is very good to see when we come home from the trenches, which is practically an everyday occurrence, they always willingly make us a cup of coffee and always allow us the use of the stove; and there is one more great comfort we have, and that is the electric light, the whole lot costing us only twenty cents a week. The weather here is very pleasant just now and it has been continually raining for the last three days, and it is very hard going and coming from the trenches, for it is pitch dark and one is everlastingly falling over one's own feet, and when it is like that there is no such thing as little grumbling.

Of course, it is a soldier's privilege to grumble, but it is surprising how little there is of it done on the whole, as we are all so contented and glad to be here to do what we are expected to do for the coming generation. It is now over three months since I heard from Jack (their youngest brother) and it is surprising how much he has grown up since he was here, for I believe the poor kid has paid the supreme sacrifice, and I am sure you will cheer up and look on the bright side of things, for surely someone will avenge his death.

The Germans have said many a time that one day they will bring all the Canadians that will be left at the close of the war, if that is the case, I believe the greatest sorrow that he has made the greatest mistake imaginable, for the boys here are giving him the fight of his life. Regarding conscription, well, the best that can happen is to let some of those guys over there put away their tennis racquets and come over here and take the hardships with good men that have left wives and children at home, but they hate to fight for a better place in the world than in France, but in my estimation the bodied man should be here at the present time.

GIRL LET OFF IF SHE GOES MORE TO SCHOOL

Was Charged With Doing Some Collecting for Herself.

Kathleen Flanagan, a little girl of 14, who lives at Richmond Hill, appeared in the county police court on Wednesday morning, before Major Brunton charged with doing a little collecting on her own account under the guise of the Red Cross. Kathleen has not been to school much, and Major Brunton sent word to her mother that both she and her brother and on this agreement the girl was let off on suspended sentence.

Wellington 100 freely. The Riverview Garage and Rubber Co., Canadian Sugar Refining Co. and A. Wilson & Co. paid \$1 and costs each for defacing the roads and fences with signs.

Ten trespassers from Mount Dennis appeared before the G.T.R. as plaintiff, two women put in appearance for their husbands. All were let off on suspended sentence with a warning. The following were fined: Dr. A. O. Nicol, G. C. Ciennens, \$5 and costs; J. Bragatius, W. R. Scott, and Percy Williams, \$4 and costs; Weaver Coal Co., \$5 and costs.

COMPLAIN OF CARS

The citizens of North Toronto are up in arms against the way the Toronto street railway cars leave the "Y" at the end of the Yonge street. A serious accident was narrowly averted yesterday when a car started to run over a woman and her child. The car was stopped by a returned soldier of the Princess, who threw a woman and child with a jerk and threw a woman and child returned to the road, the woman being pretty badly shaken up. According to a number of people standing around it was a frequent occurrence for cars to start in that way. After the accident the car never stopped, but continued down Yonge street at a high rate of speed.

FEW FILE PAPERS

North Toronto postoffice yesterday experienced a very quiet day as far as the taking out of exemption papers is concerned. As far as could be ascertained the percentage applying for exemption is about the same as other districts.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

A well-attended meeting of the congregation of Oakwood Presbyterian Church, Oakwood avenue, was held last evening, when a large number of parishioners were prepared ready for the bazaar, which is to be held at the forthcoming bazaar in aid of the church by the committee in charge.

COLLECTING TODAY

Richmond Hill is to make collections for the British Red Cross today and tomorrow, according to Reeve Pugsley.

EARLSCOURT WOMEN THANKED FOR WORK

Great War Veterans Express Appreciation of Efforts of Association for Soldiers' Welfare.

Secretary Mrs. J. Lee of the Independent Women Workers' Association of Earls Court is in receipt of a communication from C company commander, Capt. J. H. Marani, of the Great War Veterans' Association of Canada, which reads as follows:

"It is with great pleasure that I tender you and your co-workers the thanks of No. 3 platoon, G.W.V.A., for the good work you have done in connection with furnishing their club room in the Belmont Theatre assembly hall, St. Clair avenue.

"It is the good work of the noble women of Canada which makes us feel we could fight all our battles over again and for generations to come. I hope the good work will live in their memories as a noble example of what women did in the great war.

SALVATION ARMY WEDDING

Bride and Bridegroom Both Rank as Captains.

A Salvation Army wedding ceremony was conducted in Central Methodist Church, Ascot avenue, last evening, the contracting parties being Capt. W. Sanderson of the Earlscourt Corps and Capt. S. Silver of Uxbridge, Ont. Brigadier E. A. Addison performed the ceremony and the band of the Earlscourt Corps and songsters contributed to the musical portion of the service. Over 200 members and friends were present.

THREE JOINED

At a well attended meeting of the members of St. John's Orange Young Men's Association, held in Harrison's Hall, Mimico, last night three candidates were initiated by County Master Nelson Boylston of Weston, who was assisted by Bro. Edward Atkins and Bro. A. W. Clay, C.E.S., together with W. Master W. H. Wallace of Lodge No. 97, Orange Young Britons.

TAKE MOTOR TRIP

Half a dozen Deer Park citizens, members of the Wesley Club, left yesterday for a week's motor trip to Washington, D.C., and intermediate points. The party included Crown Attorney Corley, W. W. Sundas, Walter McCrea, William Robinson, James McKenzie and one or two others.

THREE JOIN BRITONS

In St. James' Hall, West Toronto, yesterday afternoon Nelson Boylston, grand worthy companion, initiated three candidates in the local O.Y.B. lodge. Great interest was manifested in the proceedings and there was a good turn-out.

HYDRO LIGHTS BROKEN

Several young lads who, it is said, have been breaking hydro-electric light globes in North Toronto, will appear in the juvenile court in the near future to answer for their conduct. As many as 15 globes have been broken.

SIDEWALKS MUDDY

North Yonge street presented the usual ordinary day appearance yesterday, the streets throughout the whole North Toronto section being a sea of mud, the sidewalks in many places being as bad as the roads. This was most noticeable on Yonge street near St. Clair avenue.

ATTEND BRANTFORD MEETING

Dominion Secretary-Treas. Knight of the Great War Veterans' Association passed thru Toronto yesterday en route to Brantford, where he attended the ceremony of opening the new G.W.V.A. clubhouse in that city. Secretary Turner of the Toronto G.W.V.A. was also present at the opening.

Local Improvement Notice

Take Notice that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of York pursuant to the provisions of Chap. 100, Statutes of Ontario, 1916, entitled "An Act Respecting the Township of York," and sections 2 and 51 of "The Local Improvement Act," as amended, intends to construct, as local improvements, the following works, and intends to specially assess the whole of the cost upon the lands fronting and abutting directly on the work, namely:

6-INCH BRANCH WATER MAINS OR 1.5-INCH SERVICE PIPES.

1. Lauder Avenue—A six-inch cast-iron branch water main or service pipe, together with all Specials, Valves, Hydrants and other appurtenances necessary to make the said water main complete, in Lauder Avenue from Rogers road south to connect with the existing water main in said avenue, an approximate distance of 2,195 feet, as shown on Registered Plans Nos. 44, 1563, 1565, 1571, 1573, 1574, 1576, 1577 and 1582. The estimated cost of the work is \$7,980.00. The estimated special rate per foot frontage is 26 cents per annum. The Special Assessment is to be paid in ten annual instalments.

EXPLOSION IN FACTORY

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If physical training be good for soldiers and their officers, it is good for business men. Personal efficiency is increased by proper exercise — the very foundation of health and fitness for big tasks.

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If Y.M.C.A. physical recreation can make unfit men acceptable for military service it can increase your efficiency for business. No less than 524 rejected men were accepted by the recruiting officers—thanks to Y. M.C.A. efficiency.

Increased personal efficiency is worth a few hours of any man's time three times a week after 5 o'clock.

Visit or phone the nearest Y.M.C.A. for full information. Bring your boy along, too.

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Toronto Young Men's Christian Associations

WEST END Y. M. C. A. BROADVIEW Y.M.C.A. College and Dovercourt 275 Broadview Ave.

CENTRAL Y.M.C.A. 40 College Street.

TEACHERS' CONVENTION

Criticism of Methods of Teaching to Be Feature.

One of the most interesting series of meetings in connection with the teachers' institutes, which are meeting in this city commencing today, will be those held in district under Inspector Henry Ward. The general meeting, which is to be held tomorrow morning in Riverdale High School, will be addressed by several fine speakers, among them Major J. W. Barton, M. D., physical director of Toronto University, on "Organized Play"; during the week the morning sessions will take the form of regular work, some teacher being scheduled to teach a certain subject. In the afternoon the morning's teaching will be discussed and criticized, all present being able to take part in the discussion, which will be led by the inspector of the district. Kindergarten work as well as higher grades will be looked into. Special music will be rendered at intervals.

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New York, Oct. 24.—Observance of Liberty Day, which reduced the trading session to one hour, 1914 was held at this centre, combined with the fact that the stock exchange to small...

Brazilian is weaker in Montreal market. Montreal, Oct. 24.—General conditions remained unchanged in a short session of the Montreal Stock Exchange today.

RAILWAY EARNINGS. Substantial increases in earnings are shown by the three Canadian railways for the week ended October 21.

RALLY IN LAURENTIDE. Heron & Co. received the following over their private wire from Montreal as the close of the day.

OFFERING OF WHEAT ARE QUICKLY ABSORBED. Little Change in Grain Situation is Reported at Winnipeg.

PARIS BOURSE QUIET. Paris, Oct. 24.—Trading was quiet on the Paris Bourse today.

Winnipeg, Oct. 24.—There is little change in the wheat situation.

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SIR HENRY M. PELLATT

who has been appointed by Sir Thomas White a member of the Toronto honorary war loan committee.

HALF HOLIDAY ON TORONTO EXCHANGE

Dealings Are Scattered But, Apart From Brazilian, Levels Are Maintained.

Wall street having yesterday declared a half-holiday to help the display of financial pyrotechnics at the closing stage of the Liberty Loan campaign, the Toronto Stock Exchange, members of which are increasingly busy with preparations for the impending war loan, decided to emulate the example.

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COTTON CROP HARD HIT BY WIDESPREAD FROST. J. P. Bickell and Co. received the following from New York as the close of the cotton market.

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Record of Yesterday's Markets

TORONTO STOCKS. STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE.

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FURTHER ADVANCES IN CORN AND OATS

Shorts in Haste to Cover Contracts, Cause of Flurry at Chicago.

Chicago, Oct. 24.—Nervousness on the part of shorts more than offset, for at least today, any bearish results from a ban which, to co-operate with the government, the board of trade directors last night placed on all new buying of November and December deliveries of corn.

Notwithstanding that the announced purpose of the board of trade directors in elevators here from bringing about a jump in values, the first effect was to increase anxiety on the part of shorts.

Oats sympathized with the advance in corn. Rural offerings continued light, despite immense reserves in farmers' hands.

Toronto Board of Trade Market Quotations

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UNLISTED STOCKS

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RUSSIA'S DEBACLE PROLONGED WAR

Russ Army Demoralization Delayed Peace, is Premier Kerensky's Statement.

HONOR FORGOTTEN. Gallant Spirit Displayed in Some Places, But is Needed Everywhere.

Petrograd, Oct. 24.—In an emotional address to the preliminary parliament yesterday, Premier Kerensky appealed to the delegates to endeavor to arouse in the people the same sense of responsibility as the front and rear which carried the Russians to victory for a time in the early part of July.

"If only we could rekindle the enthusiasm of those few days in the heart of each man," he said, "we should have peace by Christmas, an honorable peace for free Russia with the war fought to an honorable end."

The premier talked for an hour, running the gamut of emotions from despair to hope. He was applauded on all sides.

"We are not fighting for political ends, but for the very existence of Russia," he declared. "The army in the trenches seems to have lost the sense of duty and honor, altho at some places it is filled with a new spirit. The battles of the sea island gave up without a struggle, while the little Dago Island forces fought bravely."

Kerensky defended the government against charges by M. Makoff, Radical, who blamed officers for the demoralization of the army and hinted at non-military plots. He said the Korniloff revolt was not non-military, but a mere attempt at a dictatorship, as also was the Bolshevik revolt of July.

"Peace has been proposed by the disintegration of the army by the tactics of continuing the work of the old regime," he said.

Premier Kerensky said that when the enemy broke the Russian front in Galicia, excesses were witnessed at Katusz and Tamopol which recalled the pogroms at Kishinev and the times of the government of the czar. He said that for that reason the present government, at the demand of the army, military commissioners and regimental committees, restored the death penalty.

The premier added that excesses still continued in South Russia, but that he believed the regular organization and co-ordination of the general staff, the military commissioners and the regimental committees could create a moral and martial atmosphere of spirit which would stop the enemy's offensive.

The parliament has appointed a committee of national defence composed of 41 members.

GOVERNMENT ENDS PATRONAGE SYSTEM

Ottawa Administration Cuts Out Lists in Every Department.

Ottawa, Oct. 24.—The government has decided to abolish the patronage list in every department. The announcement is contained in an official memorandum issued today, reading: "The work of the war purchasing committee has been so satisfactory and effective that the prime minister has under consideration the retention of his organization as general purchasing commission for all departments of the government. During the past two and a half years the commission has undertaken and carried out the purchase of all supplies for every department of the government in connection with the war. These supplies have been purchased chiefly for the department of militia and defence, the department of naval service and the department of justice in connection with the internment operations. In pursuance of the government's intention to abolish patronage both in respect of appointments to the public service and in the purchase of supplies, there will hereafter be no patronage lists in any department of the government. There has been no such list in the war purchasing commission, which has purchased supplies by tender after public advertisement or circular addressed to all known sources of supply in this country."

The word patronage also refers to appointments. So far pre-union promises have been carried out by the minister of militia and all appointments made by them have been party appointments. But these have been pretty well cleared up. No more appointments will be appointed until after nomination, for the government is waiting to discover how many of the candidates are in the market, and it will need in the meantime to run in the coming elections.

CANADIAN WHEAT MOVES EASTWARD

Food Controller's Arrange Shipments to New England Mills.

Washington, Oct. 24.—Under an arrangement between the United States food administration and the Canadian food controller, large supplies of Canadian wheat are to begin moving at once by way of the great lakes to the eastern American flour mills, so they may resume full capacity operations.

The wheat will be purchased through the Canadian government at the same price fixed for the American 1917 crop. Today by the food administration was announced that the price was to be 60 per cent. capacity to allow the lake eastern mills, have been cancelled and the Minneapolis and northwest mills generally are now running at full capacity.

Food administration comes to an end, there will be no change in the government purchase price of the 1917 harvest of wheat. This announcement is in addition to the announcement of the food controller's report that the price was to be 60 per cent. capacity to allow the lake eastern mills, have been cancelled and the Minneapolis and northwest mills generally are now running at full capacity.

The previous arrangements, by which the wheat was to be purchased through the Canadian government at the same price fixed for the American 1917 crop, today by the food administration was announced that the price was to be 60 per cent. capacity to allow the lake eastern mills, have been cancelled and the Minneapolis and northwest mills generally are now running at full capacity.

In event of peace, it was pointed out, large quantities of wheat now in storage in Australia and India would be available to the world's markets, and the price of the present American crop would be highly unlikely.

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FAIR DEMAND SHOWN FOR OATS AND BARLEY. Number of Cars Sold at Montreal for Fort William Shipment. Montreal, Oct. 24.—The demand for local buyers for grain today was better and quiet. A number of cars of oats and barley were sold for shipment from Fort William. In addition there was a steady demand for supplies on spot. The market was a whole, but there was no change in prices. Demand for millfeed is good at firm prices. The trade in butter is quiet, and the undertone to the market is easy. Cheese is firm. A good trade is passing in eggs for local consumption, and there is also a good enquiry from over the cable, but owing to the scarcity of ocean space the volume of business is under check for export account. Corn—American No. 2 yellow, \$2.15; Canadian western No. 2, 75c; extra No. 1 feed, western No. 2, 75c; extra No. 1 feed, 75c; No. 2 local white, 75c; No. 3 local white, 71c. Barley—Maltster, \$1.31. Flour—Manitoba spring wheat patents, firsts, \$1.10; seconds, \$1.10; strong bakers, \$1.00; winter patents, choice, \$1.25; straight rollers, \$1.10 to \$1.11; straight rollers, \$1.05 to \$1.06. \$1.30 to \$1.40; bags, 90 lbs., \$4 to \$4.10. Bran—\$30. Middlings—\$48 to \$50. Moulins—\$1.20. Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$12 to \$12.50. Cheese—Finest western, 21c; finest eastern, 21c. Butter—Choice creamery, 46c to 47c; second, 45c. Eggs—Fresh, 53c to 55c; selected, 47c to 48c; No. 1 stock, 45c to 46c; No. 2 stock, 43c to 44c. Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, \$2.10 to \$2.20. Dressed hogs—Abattoir short, \$25.50 to \$26. Pork—Heavy Canada, short mess, bbls., 25 to 45 pieces, \$52 to \$55; Canada short cut back, bbls., 45 to 45 pieces, \$50 to \$52. Lard—Wood pallets 20 lbs., net, \$27.50 to \$28. Pure wood pallets, 20 lbs., net, \$27.50 to \$28.

PRICE OF SILVER. London, Oct. 21.—Bar silver, 47s. 6d. New York, Oct. 24.—Bar silver, \$1.35.

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